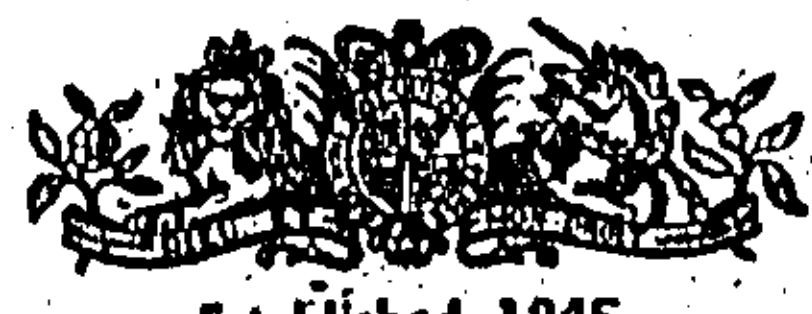


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The new baby

THE birth of a baby is one of the happiest moments in the life of a family. Particularly is this so when it comes to Princess Margaret who has been the centre of public attention and affection throughout her life, in Britain and in many parts of the world. For Princess Margaret quite apart from her position in the Royal Family is an international celebrity. Her marriage to Mr. Armstrong Jones was widely popular and it is a matter of general rejoicing that she has given birth safely. We join with well-wishers everywhere in offering congratulations on this happy event. The toast today will be for the health and happiness of the new baby, Viscount Linley, for wisdom and understanding and for all those things which we would wish our own children. The joy of the parents is something we all share.

Decorated city

A NUMBER of well-deserved compliments have been heard this week for the decorations erected in the city for the visit of Princess Alexandra. We listen to add our own to Government as well as to private institutions — for the combined effort.

As usual, the two banks on Queen's road have risen to the occasion, as well as Cable and Wireless and the Hongkong Club. And the colourful Chinese banners of welcome flanking the subway, together with the long drapes hung from lamp standards, give the streets a tastefully well-dressed appearance.

EASILY the most outstanding — and the most photographed — decoration is the modernistic lantern-dotted archway over Wardley street — a marriage of modern Western and ancient Chinese concepts. The temptation to dress up the plain bamboo lattice structure must have been hard to resist — but it needed neither paint nor coloured paper to enhance its simple, sweeping lines. It is a vast improvement on the traditional ornately-decorated palau.

Soviet leader may relent on Berlin crisis CONCESSIONS FROM MR K?

U THANT'S 1ST APPEARANCE AS U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL

United Nations, Nov. 3. U Thant of Burma, elected and sworn in as acting Secretary General today announced that he would appoint Dr. Ralph J. Bunche of the United States and Georgy P. Arkadiev of Russia among his principal advisers. He made no commitment concerning the rest of his cabinet of deputies, a point which was the centre of bickering between Russia and the United States for six weeks since the late Secretary General Dag Hammarskjöld died. U Thant was elected by a unanimous, 103-0 vote of the Assembly, his election was unanimously recommended by the Security Council this morning. —UPI.

BRITAIN CAN WIPE OUT MOST OF RUSSIA'S BIG CITIES

London, Nov. 3. Foreign Secretary Lord Home said tonight that Britain has enough nuclear striking power to wipe out most of the Soviet Union's large cities.

"British power is not as all-embracing as it was in the 19th Century," Lord Home said, "but let us not minimise our strength. We do not brandish our bombs like Mr. Khrushchev, because, although we have enough nuclear striking power of our own to put most of Russia's big cities out of existence, we believe that power should be used with discretion and responsibility."

V-BOMBERS
(In London, Air Secretary Mr. Julian Amery said that if an attack was directed against England "the V-bomber force will be safely airborne in time. The price we would exact from

Remark during talks with Italian envoy

Moscow, Nov. 3. Premier Nikita Khrushchev indicated today that the Soviet Union is willing to "make concessions" in negotiations on Berlin and the German problem.

Mr. Khrushchev made the remark during a 65-minute interview with Italian Parliamentarian Giuseppe Codacci-Pisanelli. "The Soviet Union wants negotiations," highly-informed sources quoted the Soviet Premier as saying. "The international situation is very bad now and the only thing to do is to negotiate. We must have negotiations," he added, "and negotiations mean not only to receive concessions — but to make concessions."

Mr. Pisanelli told Mr. Khrushchev of the Inter-Parliamentary Union's objections to the resumption in Soviet nuclear tests. Mr. Khrushchev repeated the Soviet explanation that Russia was forced to test because of Western "threats", the sources said.

Mr. Pisanelli told reporters he was leaving Moscow tomorrow for Rome. Then he was to go to Washington, Paris and London to see President John F. Kennedy, President Charles de Gaulle and Prime Minister Harold Macmillan. —UPI.

Lord Home made the remarks at a Conservative Party meeting. —UPI.

TO VISIT INDIA

Washington, Nov. 3. Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy is to leave on November 20 for a two-week visit to India and Pakistan, the White House announced today. She will be the guest of Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru and his daughter, Mrs. Indira Gandhi.

In Pakistan the President's wife will be the guest of Field Marshal Ayub Khan and the Begum Khan. The White House said that Mrs. Kennedy would be travelling "in a private and personal capacity to visit educational and research centres, and to view the historical art treasures of these nations." —UPI.

3 YEARS' JAIL FOR KILLING 5

Johannesburg, Nov. 3. A 26-year-old white motorist who ran down nine African policemen, killing five and maiming three others on May 24, was sentenced to three years' imprisonment here today.

Johannes van der Merwe, a miner, pleaded guilty to culpable homicide and failing to stop after an accident. Van der Merwe, said to have come up behind the policemen, travelling at some 80 miles an hour, told the court he did not stop after the accident because he had no driver's license. The judge, in passing sentence, said van der Merwe's conduct "was that of a man who had too much to drink." —Reuters.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for today: Moderate northerly winds, fresh in exposed places. Fair. At 9 am today, at the Royal Observatory, the temperature was 70.5 degrees Fahrenheit and the relative humidity 63 per cent.

DEATH TOLL IN BELIZE RISES TO 340

Guatemala City, Nov. 3. Reporters returning here from the hurricane-battered city of Belize, said today the death toll had risen to 340 by yesterday afternoon, and would probably prove to be double or triple that figure when ruins of buildings were excavated.

Officials of the capital of British Honduras told the U.S. Weather Bureau at Miami that at least 108 persons died in Belize itself, another 36 at nearby Tuckekey Key, 14 at Key Caulmer, and 27 at Stann Creek — the area hardest hit by Hurricane Hattie.

Belize was becoming so chaotic that police were unable to cope with widespread pillaging and looting.

A photographer for the newspaper El Imparcial of Guatemala City said also on his return from Belize that Prime Minister Oscar Price told him "the capital must be transferred elsewhere" because of the magnitude of the hurricane disaster.

In a preliminary survey of Hurricane Hattie, issued this morning in Miami, the U.S. Weather Bureau said it was "reasonable" to conclude Hattie struck Belize with wind gusts up to 200 miles per hour.

The huge U.S. aircraft carrier, *Antietam*, arrived at Stann Creek today carrying 300 tons of emergency provisions for the survivors. A swarm of 23 helicopters was launched from the *Antietam*'s deck to deliver emergency food and medical provisions in the disaster area.

There were reports, meanwhile, that the situation in

TROOPS ORDERED
Kingston, Nov. 3. A detachment of the Royal Hampshire Regiment was today ordered to hurricane-stricken British Honduras following an appeal to Jamaica by the Governor, Sir Colin Thurnley, for military and police reinforcements. —Reuters.

RADIATION ANTIDOTE IN RUSSIA?
Ottawa, Nov. 3. A missile and radar expert said today he believed the Russians had perfected an anti-radiation drug which had been administered to the Soviet people.

The expert, former Group Captain Charles Limbrick, retired Royal Canadian Air Force officer, said Russia could therefore detonate many more nuclear bombs, lure the West into testing its own weapons, and "wait a long time for results." —Reuters.

Knife in her back

Washington, Nov. 2. A woman bus passenger was startled today when a man sitting behind her leaned forward and said: "Lady, you have a blade in your back."

She did. About 1½ inches of a 6-inch knife blade was stuck into her left shoulder. The bus driver stopped and Mrs. Alto M. Wilson, 31, was taken to a hospital. Her condition was described as good.

Police said she later told them a man had knocked her to the ground while she was waiting for the bus. When she screamed, he fled. —AP.

EUROPE'S 1st SPACE SHOT IN 1965

London, Nov. 3. Mr. Peter Thorneycroft, Minister of Aviation, said here tonight that Europe's first satellite would be launched into space from the Australian Woomera range in the summer of 1965.

The Minister was speaking at a press conference at the conclusion of a conference here on European space explorations. The conference was attended by representatives of Britain, France, West Germany, Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Italy, Spain and Australia.

SPACE CLUB
Mr. Thorneycroft said the initial plan of the European "space club" would be to put a satellite into orbit by a three-stage rocket fired from Woomera.

Britain and France have asked the other countries to say, within three weeks, if they are prepared to sign a convention which will make the "space club" operative. —Reuters.

Grass fire
A grass fire burnt out an area of 5,000 feet by 1,000 feet on a hillside north of the 10½-mile stone on Castle Peak road, last night. The blaze broke out at 8.50 pm. It was put out three hours later.

HAS FAIR HAIR & BLUE EYES

Latest details of Princess Margaret's son

London, Nov. 3. Princess Margaret's son, born at Clarence House here this morning, weighed six pounds four ounces at birth and has fair hair and blue eyes, it was learned tonight.

The condition of the 31-year-old Princess and her first child was said to be "satisfactory" after she had been visited tonight by her doctors.

Earlier, the Queen's sister and her baby were stated to be both doing well.

The father, the Earl of Snowdon, the former society photographer, Mr. Antony Armstrong-Jones, was tonight reading congratulatory messages from all over the world.

He sent red roses to the Princess after she had given birth to the boy, who is 5th in line of succession to the Throne. Lord Snowdon said: "The Princess and I are absolutely thrilled and delighted."

First visitor
First to see the royal child was his father who then took the Queen Mother into the white-walled bedroom. Later the Queen visited her sister at Clarence House.

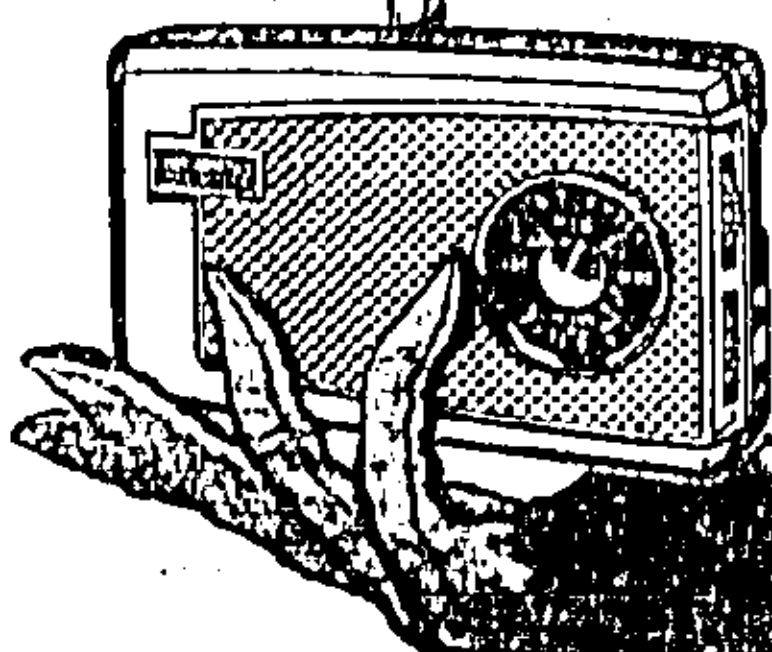
First news reached the outside world exactly 43 minutes after the birth — the time taken to inform the Royal Family, the Prime Minister, the Archbishop of Canterbury and the Home Secretary.

Queen Elizabeth, the Queen Mother, today said she was "very excited" about the birth of her fourth grandchild. She said the baby was "a lovely little boy" and said "I am very excited by it all."

The Queen Mother was speaking to a group of schoolgirls a few hours after the baby's birth. Throughout the afternoon, florists' vans and post office boys with dozens of telegrams were constantly arriving at Clarence House watched by a crowd of about 200.

No hint has yet been given of the baby's names. —Reuters & AP.

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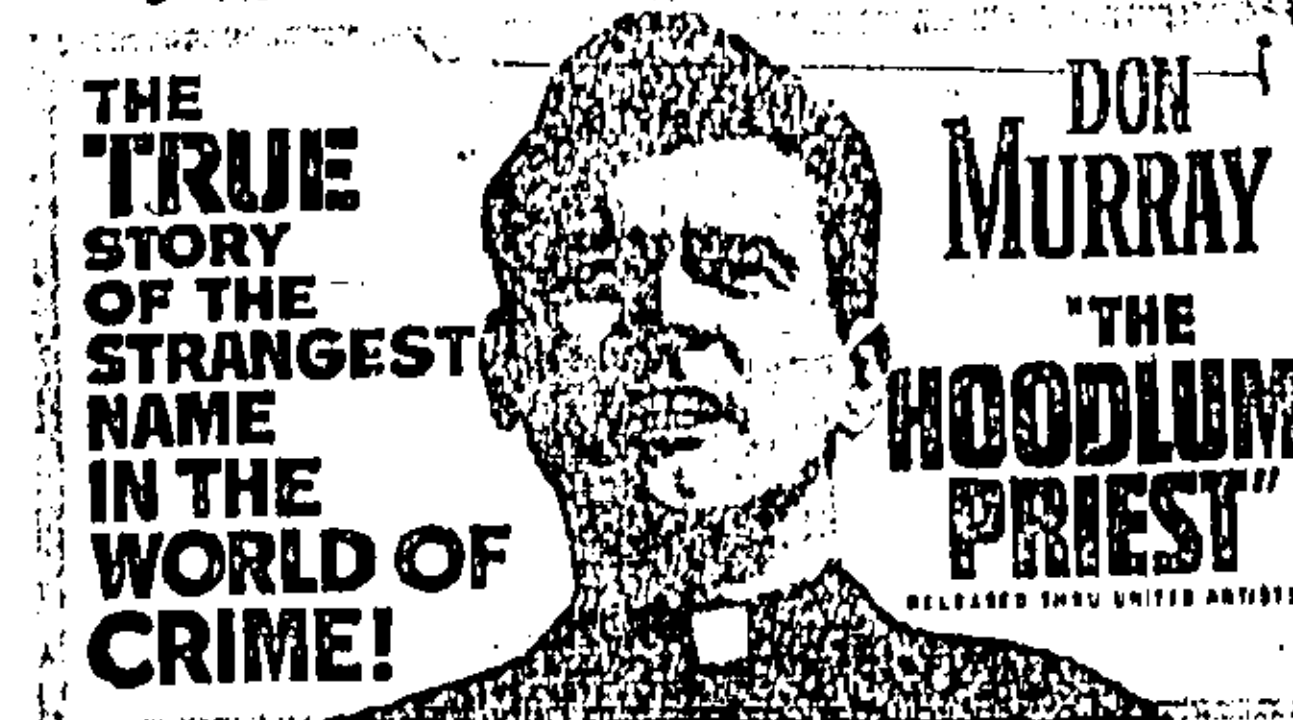
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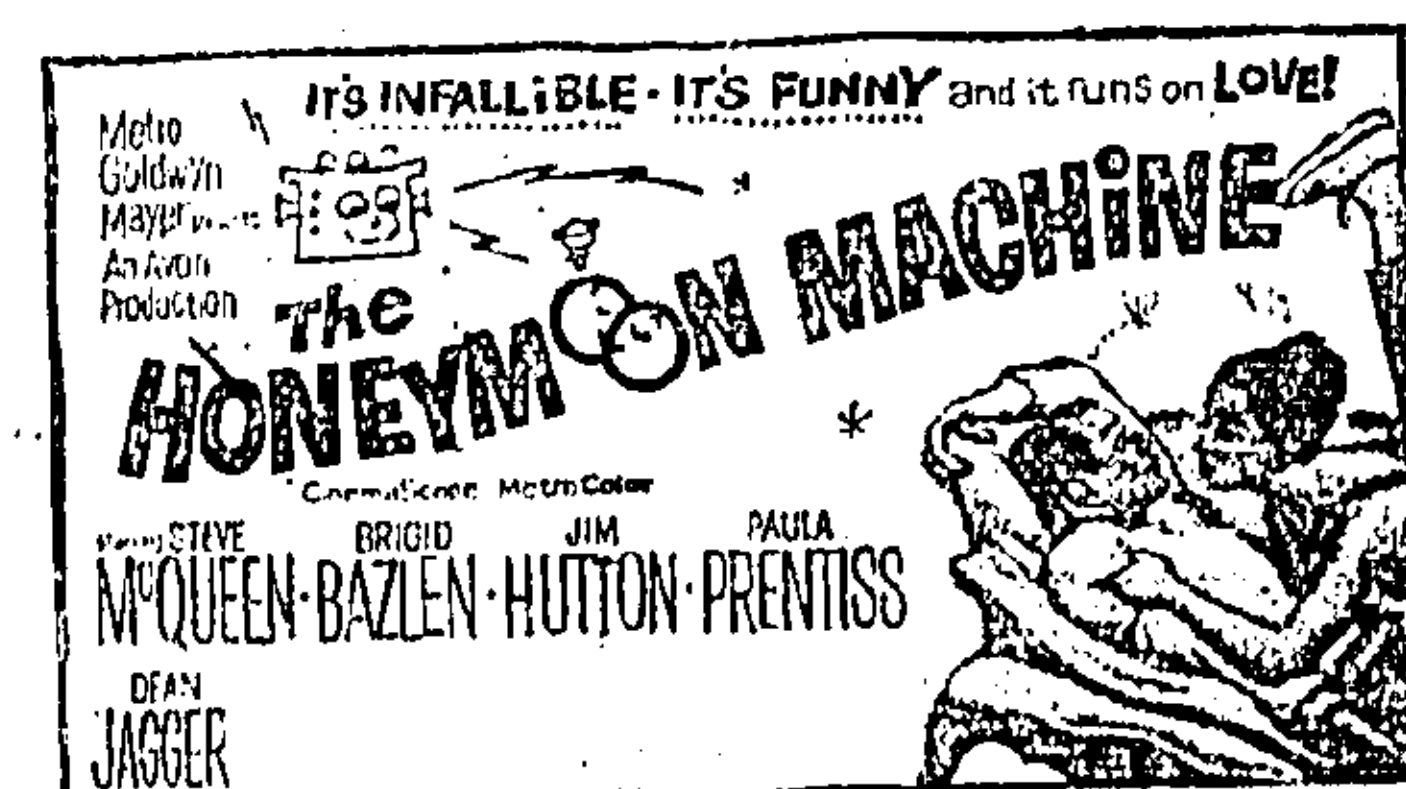


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 MAJESTIC: To-morrow At 12.30 p.m. "RIO BRAVO"

FILMS CURRENT & COMING

by ANTHONY FULLER

THE HUSTLER (Roxy & Majestic) is a production in which the producers take a parallel path alongside the new theatre of realism.

There is no message, no moral, no anything. Concerned with the strange obsession of a pool-room shark, this film dives right into the murky depths of human nature, and in its fashion, achieves a major masterpiece. The characterisation is simply perfect, as is the steady atmosphere endured by the selected characters for reasons beyond normal explanation.

The camera sustains the obsession of the pool-room by some magnificent shots which portray at one time the gloomy pool-room atmosphere, and the magnetic lure of superb cue executors.

Apart from the unusual talent which takes a violent probe at life through the medium of the pool-room, there is the complementary arrangement of characters which gives a vivid revelation of the queer twists of human nature. Apart from the pool-room shark, there is the girl he falls for. She is a strange creature, somewhat reminiscent of the lame girl in "The Glass Menagerie" of Tennessee Williams. This girl is lame too, she is also a pathological liar, possessed of a wistful attraction, yet fatal after her kind. The pool-room champion, Minnie Driver, is a wonderful piece of creative talent, a type seen anywhere where there is betting on a large scale, for whom money is merely a betting counter. The third corner of the triangle of the shark and his girl, is a professional gambler who promotes his pool-room gladiators.

Paul Newman contributes a lively performance as the shark, giving realism to an obsession hard to believe in, yet succeeding in making his audience believe in a role completely amoral.

Piper Laurie as the strange lonely lame girl, with more than a hint of nymphomania, is outstanding in a rewarding role. As the femme fatale of the dimly apartment, she is brilliant in the portrayal of an attempt at a snatch at happiness she never believes in.

George C. Scott as the ex-husband of the shark is positively the part, as he watches with basilisk eyes each move on the table, sitting outside time, eschewing the demands of the hours or days. Jackie Gleason is superb in "Fanny". This is not everyone's picture. But those interested in the method movement in the theatre will find its counterpart in this film. Robert Rosen was both script writer, producer, and director. He achieved realism by doing without the set and using a pool-room, a large New York house, and hiring a bus station for a day, to arrive at this film.

THE HONEYMOON MACHINE (Hoover & Gala) is a farcical comedy, brilliantly photographed in CinemaScope and Metrocolor, concerning two naval officers and a civilian scientist who try to break a Venice casino bank with the aid of an electronic brain.

This contemporary piece of nonsense is played for all it is worth by a young and eager team.

The laughs are frequent, the dialogue very good, the situations are polished, while the production is very lush. The picture features the talented young players in a naval background, but cleverly avoids the clichés of teenage and service.

Basil Hutton who will be seen in "King of Kings" is not too well cast as Julie, but Patricia Prentiss thoroughly amuses as the myopic Pam.

Steve McQueen rings the bell as the line-shooting Fergie, and Jim Hutton comes into his own as Jason.



Escape to Happiness. Paul Newman and Piper Laurie in a scene from "The Hustler." Showing at the Roxy & Majestic. (20th Century-Fox).

Jack Mullaney is an effective stooge in the character of Beau, while Jack Weston puts on a good safety last gag as Taylor.

The romantic entanglements are laughable, the key situations well played, and the whole production has a glossy finish.

This is recommended as a lively tale, with clean and sharp humour, and a general appeal, in short, a good film played well by an eager team.

★ ★ ★

TOBY TYLER (Queen's) is a Technicolor comedy melodrama adapted from James Otis Kaler's book.

It is all about an orphan who runs away from his foster parents to a travelling circus, and shares in many lively adventures.

He falls up with a very educated chimpanzee, and finally, the two are the stars of the show.

The picture, set in the early 1900's when travelling circuses really meant something to boys and girls and their parents, has a jolly ingratiating naivety.

Kevin Corcoran, who scored in "The Shaggy Dog," and "Old Yeller," is the "orphan" and he thoroughly enjoys himself in the role. Mr Stubbs, the intelligent "monkey" former star of the Jack Benny Show, brings down the house with his all too human pranks.

Henry Calvin puts in a nice performance as the big hearted Ben, while Gene Sheldon amuses as Sam, with Bob Sweeney true to type as the unscrupulous Tupper.

This film has an all round appeal, and it will draw everyone save the ultra sophisticated, for it brings to life a lost period when the greatest worry in the world was whether dad could get seats for the circus.

The saddest ring, the clowning, the thrills and showmanship, and all the diurnal pomp and glitter of the circus are restored for two hours.

Take the kids, they will just love it, and, I suspect, so will you.

★ ★ ★

THE PRIVATE LIVES OF ADAM & EVE (Lee & Princess). Never in all my life have I seen such a heap of rubbish offered to the public as entertainment.

Presented as a pseudo-serious production, which concerns a young couple dabbling with sin, with Mickey Rooney as a dirty old man looking on, it has them all on a coach running down to Reno.

On the way, a storm breaks out, a bridge is swept away, and Mickey Rooney takes charge in

his own deliciously vulgar manner, and the passengers take shelter in a church.

The water rises, and the young couple, exhausted by fear, fall asleep and dream of the innocence of our first parents, Adam and Eve.

Not too bad if not quite original. But the trouble is Mickey Rooney is in the film, and he becomes the Satan of this episode which is photographed in colour.

At one moment the film is silly, the next ridiculous; following which, it is vulgar, the total being as shocking an exhibition of bad taste it has been my misfortune to see in a cinema.

When sin is represented as a kind of slap and tinkle at Coney Island, and Mickey Rooney is the Miltonic Satan, I've had my chips.

There was but one thing left to do. I did it. I reached for my case and quietly stole away. Mamie Van Doren, Fay Spain, and Paul Anka, assist in this ridiculous film which the producers have the audacity to offer as entertainment.

THE HOODLUM PRIEST (King's & Broadway) is a real life drama, for Father Clark of the Society of Jesus, is still at his work with the Hoodlums in St Louis, Missouri.

Father Clark is a fighting priest, one of those kind who take God at His word, who really believe in their vocation, and who throw off the cold bureaucracy of organised religion, and go after the "lost". Such a priest is Father Clark, and he is portrayed by Don Murray without an ounce of sentiment.

Nor are the crooks sentimentalised, they are shown as the

mean characters they are, untrustworthy and untrusting.

He is followed in an episode which sees him lose hands down to society, and the priest's fight is an utter failure, losing out in the death chamber of a prison. The idea in the background is the thief on the cross, known as St Dismas, and the idea in the priest's mind is that society must approach the problem of the hoodlum in that spirit that in the most wretched outcast, there is the man who can emerge.

No preaching, just facts, no happy ending, but a ghastly glimpse of life saved by the undying faith of a good man. Keir Dullea plays the young crook who tries to make good but finishes up in the death house. A terrific film!



A new portrait of Audrey Hepburn for "Breakfast at Tiffany's" to be screened in Hongkong.

NEW FILMS AT A GLANCE

SHOWING

ROXY & MAJESTIC: "The Hustler." Stark realistic drama made in CinemaScope, produced and directed by Robert Rossen, starring Paul Newman, and co-starring Jackie Gleason.

KING'S & BROADWAY: "The Hoodlum Priest." Film concerning the fight of a priest who took God at His word, and went to live among the dregs of human society. Don Murray as Father Clark.

LEE & PRINCESS: "The Private Lives of Adam and Eve." Story with throw-back to Garden of Eden.

COMING

ROXY & MAJESTIC: "7 Women From Hell." A return to the Pyrenees of War camps, and the brutality and suffering of women behind barbed wire. Patricia Owens, Denise Darcel, and Cesar Romero.

KING'S & BROADWAY: "The Naked Edge." Psychological thriller set in London. Story has a woman's wife obsessed with the idea her husband is a killer. Gary Cooper, Deborah Kerr, and Eric Portman.

LEE & PRINCESS: "Fanny." Comedy drama, photographed in Technicolor, inspired by Marcel Pagnol's famous tale "Fanny." "Marina" and "Gagar." Tale deals with a young girl's chequered romance on Marseilles water

front. Leslie Caron, Maurice Chevalier, and Charles Boyer.

QUEEN'S - ROYAL - STATE: "Toby Tyler." Period "big top" Technicolor comedy melodrama covering an orphan boy's adventures with a travelling circus. First rate family film. Kevin Corcoran, Henry Calvin, and Mr Stubbs, an educated chimpanzee.

HOOVER & GALA: "Honey-Moon Machine." CinemaScope and Metrocolor comedy, about two naval officers and a scientist who try to break a casino bank with an electronic computer. Steve McQueen, Basil Hutton, and Jim Hutton.

QUEEN'S - ROYAL - STATE: "The Singer Not The Song." Clash between good, as represented by a priest, and evil in the person of a bandit, for the soul of a Mexican village. Based on Audrey Lindrop's novel. Filmed in CinemaScope and Eastman Colour. Dirk Bogarde, John Mills, and Mylene Demongeot.

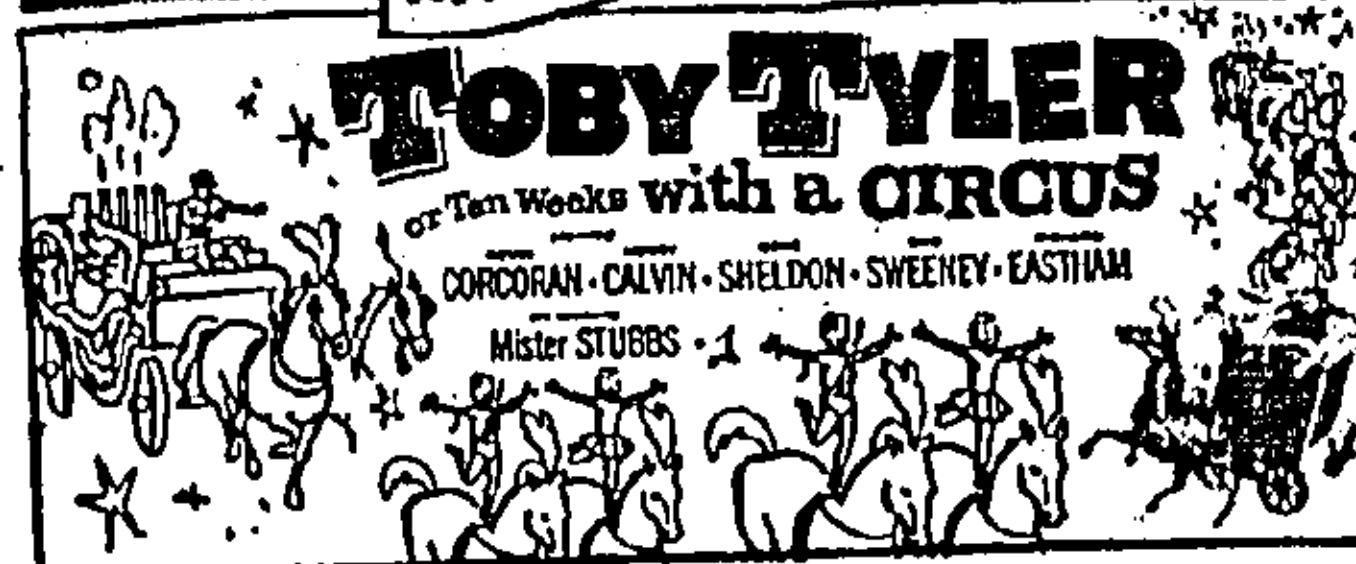
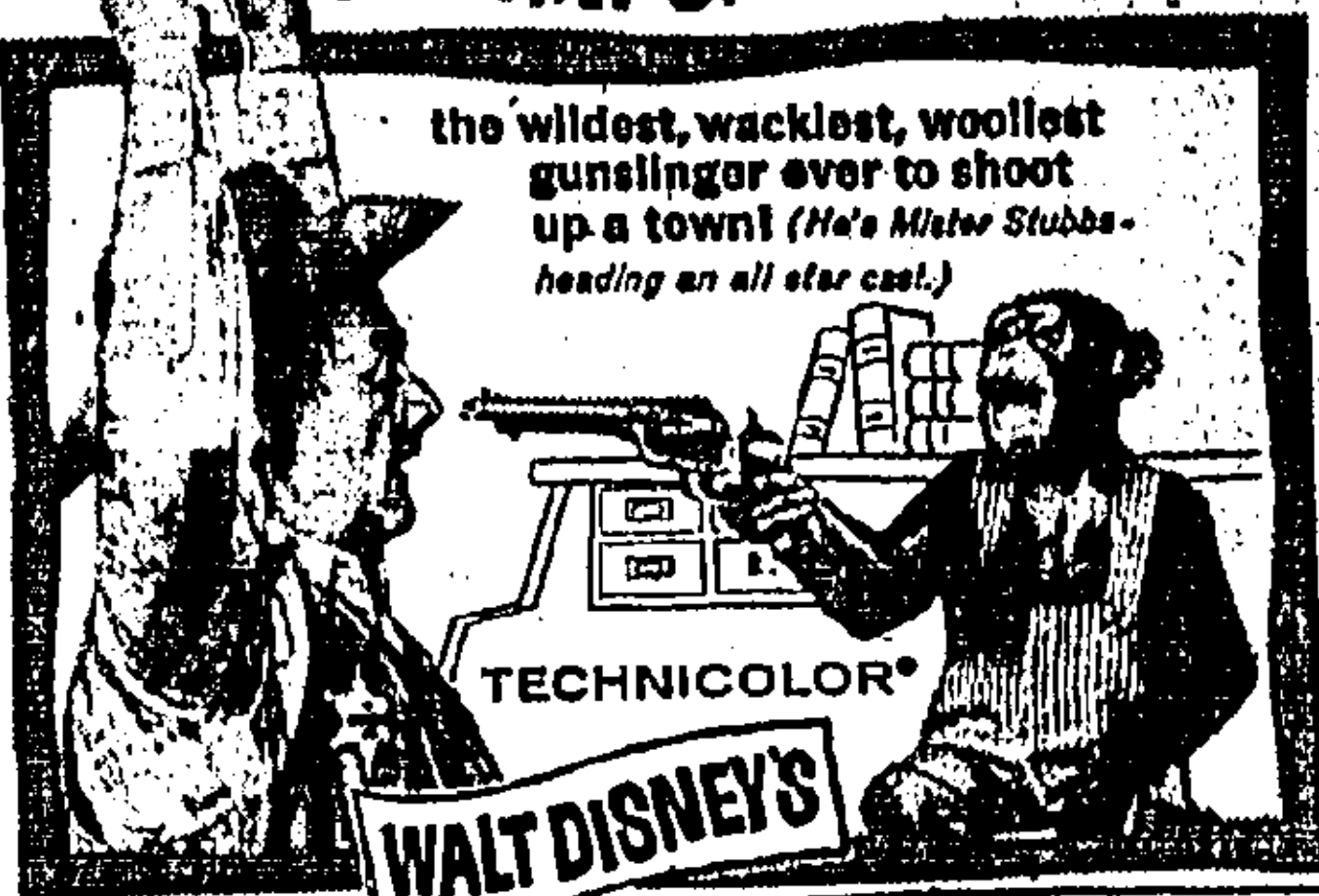
HOOVER & GALA: "Ada." Romantic melodrama about a state governor's lady, formerly a prostitute, who outwits a ruthless political boss. CinemaScope and Metrocolor. Susan Hayward, Dean Martin, and Wilfrid Hyde White.

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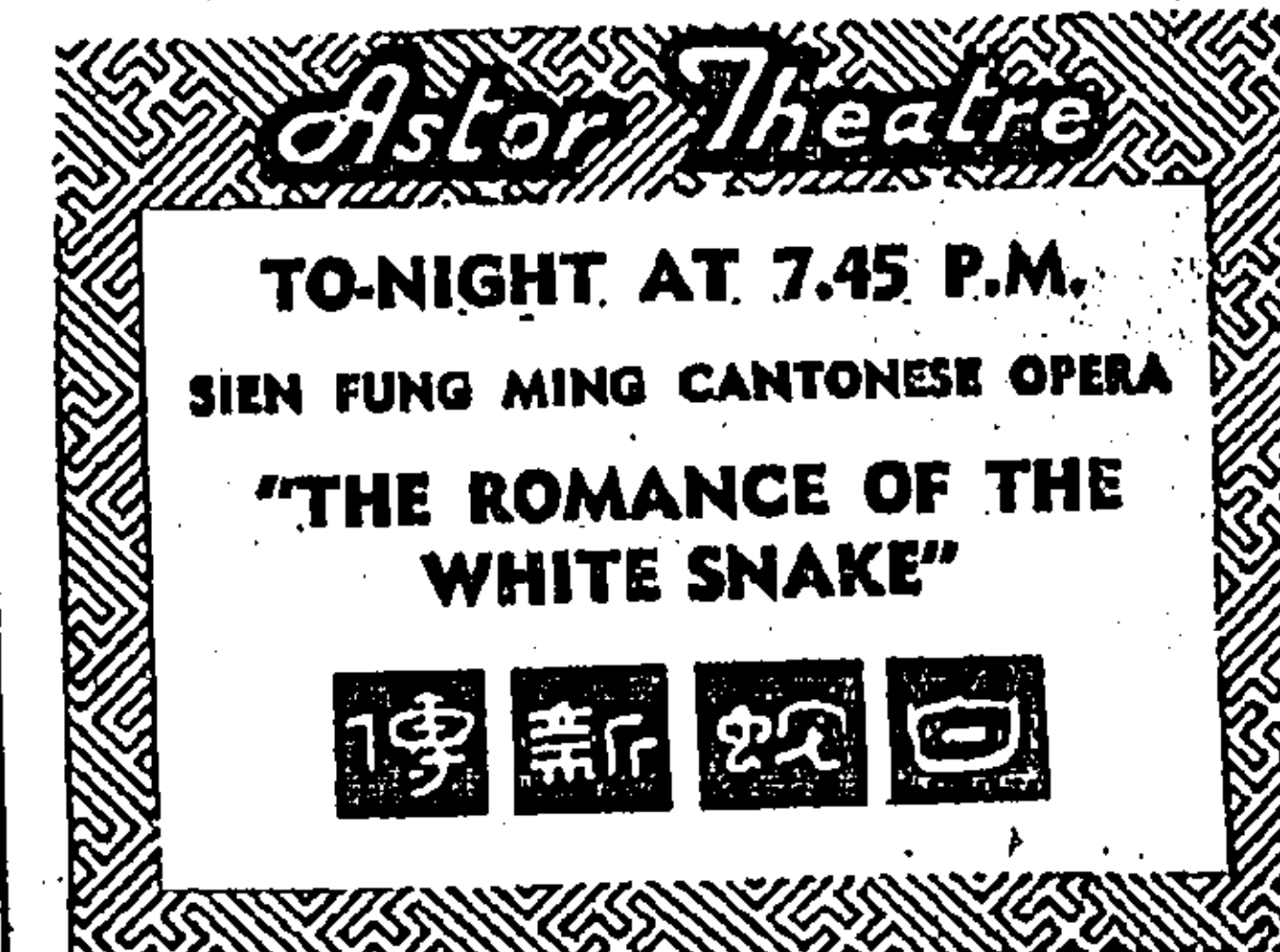
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 ROYAL: 12.15 p.m. Stewart Granger & Vivien Leigh in "CAESAR & CLEOPATRA"
SUNDAY MATINEES AT REDUCED PRICES
 STATE: 12.30 p.m. Peter Finch in "THE FIGHTING RATS OF TORRUK"
 QUEEN'S: 12.30 p.m. Anthony Quinn & Sophia Loren in "ATTILA"
 ROYAL: 12.30 p.m. Debbie Reynolds & Eddie Fisher in "A BUNDLE OF JOY"



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SCREAMS AS A BARRIER FALLS DOWN

Minutes before the Princess was driven from the pier to Government House pretty office girls screamed and jumped in fright when a wooden barrier suddenly collapsed behind them in Statue Square.

They grabbed each other's arms and turned to see the 20ft long barrier lying broken inches away from the delicately tapered heels of their shoes.

Several girls dropped their handbags in alarm. Police had to leave their job of holding back the crowds to hastily re-erect the barrier and move it clear of further danger.

As soon as the Princess appeared in Connaught-road, fathers were seen to hoist toddlers on to their shoulders and many women, whose view was blocked, stood on tip-toe in an effort to get a look at the Royal visitor.

QUIET WELCOME

One shoeshine boy, looking rueful because he was temporarily out of business, gave a short, blonde European girl his wooden shoe rest to stand on. Afterwards, the girl ran her fingers through the boy's closely cropped hair and handed him a coin from her purse.

Though crowds filled the pathways and many watched from rooftops, office and shop windows, the Princess received a comparatively quiet welcome in Central Hongkong.

Their greeting was one of quiet vigilance rather than rowdy banner waving and yelp cheering.

West German parties reach agreement

Bonn, Nov. 3.
A new West German Government under Dr Konrad Adenauer was in prospect tonight as leaders of his Christian Democrat party and the Free Democrats once again reached agreement on a basis for coalition rule.

After a surprise setback last night, the negotiating commissions of the two parties today agreed on a policy formula, which was at once approved by the Free Democrat parliamentary group.

Final seal on the negotiations remains to be set tomorrow by the Christian Democrat Parliamentary Deputies.—Reuter.

'Soviet propaganda'

CENTO POWERS COMPLAIN TO U.N.

United Nations, Nov. 3.
Britain, Pakistan, Iran and Turkey — the Cento powers — have complained to the U.N. about its official publication of Soviet "propaganda material."

In a letter to the President of the Assembly made public today, the U.N. delegates of the four nations said it was "wholly improper" for the U.S. to publish Russian allegations that they

With naval ships from four nations and many merchant vessels and private craft dressed overall, the harbour presented a brilliant sun-splashed scene that was matched by the splendour of the ceremonial welcome ashore.

After landing from the launch the Lady Maurice, Princess Alexandra was escorted to a saluting dais where her personal standard was broken out. The immaculate Honour Guard of Fusiliers, with impressive precision, snapped out a Royal Salute.

Slowly the Princess moved down the double ranks of the immaculate Guard, reviewing the troops. On nine occasions she stopped to exchange a few words with the soldiers.

They were rewarded with the quick cheerful smiles that has won her countless admirers in many walks of life in many lands.

Handshakes

After the review, Princess Alexandra met leading members of the Colony, including representatives of Government, the Executive, Legislative and Urban Councils, the armed forces, the church, and Commonwealth Trade Commissioners, and their wives.

In all, she shook hands with more than 63 people during the welcome.

Despite the heavy programme, and the very warm sun, the friendly vivacious Princess broke through the formalities with her champagne smile and warm personality.

She won the hearts of the crowd when she paused during the inspection of the Guard of Honour to wave to them.

Around the Pier area the crowds packed each available vantage point to glimpse the Royal visitor, and their smiles spoke louder than cheers of their feelings toward the Princess.

(See Pictures on pages 8 and 9)

They were planning aggression against the Soviet Union through Cento (the Central Treaty Organisation).

A Soviet document, published by the U.N. at the request of Mr. Valerian Zorin, Chief Soviet delegate, reproduced several of the alleged top-secret Cento documents in Soviet possession some of which were said to list targets to be attacked in the event of war.

The Cento powers have rejected the "documents" as forgeries.—Reuter.

A WAVE FOR WAITING REPORTERS

At precisely 4 pm, seven minutes after touch down, Princess Alexandra stepped from the great shiny Britannia in which she had travelled from Canada.

Her tall figure, clad in a long white summer coat, was first to be framed in the doorway of the plane.

She walked down the ramp steps into the 86-degree heat and brilliant sunshine to be greeted by the Governor, Sir Robert Black.

Sir Robert shook her hand, and then led the Princess over to meet his wife and daughter and the Commander British Forces, Lt. General Sir Roderick McLeod, and his wife.

A crowd of about 50 newspaper and radio people were there to meet the royal visitor, and she walked towards them, she waved.

Princess Alexandra was led into the Governor's reception room, where she signed the visitors' book and also met airport officials.

ONCE MORE

In less than five minutes, the royal party emerged and made its way to the Governor's official launch, the Lady Maurice, which was to take them to Queen's Pier.

For most of the walk to the launch, the Princess was engaged in deep conversation with Sir Robert. But near the landing ramp, she looked up, saw the reporters again, and waved once more.

At the ramp, Sir Robert went first, and the Princess, carefully choosing her steps, walked down the gangway to a red-carpeted float.

She boarded the Lady Maurice, took the salute of the officers and went forward, where Lady Black and the others were already waiting.

The Princess stood in the bows for several minutes after the mooring lines were cast off and as the launch slid away, she waved once more to those on shore.

Leicester, Nov. 3.

The City Councillor here described a Henry Moore sculpture as "a heap of junk, a mediocrity masquerading as the magnificent."

He was speaking at a meeting of the Council which decided not to buy a two-piece reclining figure, offered by the sculptor at £2,000.—China Mail Special.

France submits plans for United States of Europe

Paris, Nov. 3.
France has proposed to her neighbours a sweeping six-nation political union which might some day develop into a United States of Europe, French Government sources disclosed today.

The proposals were contained in a draft treaty submitted on October 19 to a committee of senior officials studying the problem of European unity.

They probably will be discussed by ministers of the six European Common Market nations who meet in Brussels on Monday to prepare for negotiations with Britain about her request for admission to the six-nation "little Europe" setup.

The six nations are France, West Germany, Italy, Belgium, Netherlands and Luxembourg.

The Committee, headed by Christian Fouchet of France, was named by a "little summit" meeting of heads of government of the six powers in the West German capital of Bonn on July 18.—UPI.

Eggs thrown at Italian Red leader

Rome, Nov. 3.
Italian Communist leader Palmiro Togliatti returned from Moscow today and faced an egg-throwing attack by right-wing youths and reports of serious trouble in his own party.

Togliatti was telling an interviewer at Rome's main railway station that the 22nd Congress of the Soviet Communist Party had been "a great success" when three youths opened up on him with rotten eggs and firecrackers.

They shouted "servant of Moscow." The youths ran for the exit, but police arrested two of them.

UNEASINESS

Togliatti drove straight from the station to party headquarters, where aides awaited him to discuss more serious trouble.

There have been widespread indications of uneasiness in Italy's Communist Party over the Soviet atomic tests and the renewed down-with-Stalin campaign.—UPI.

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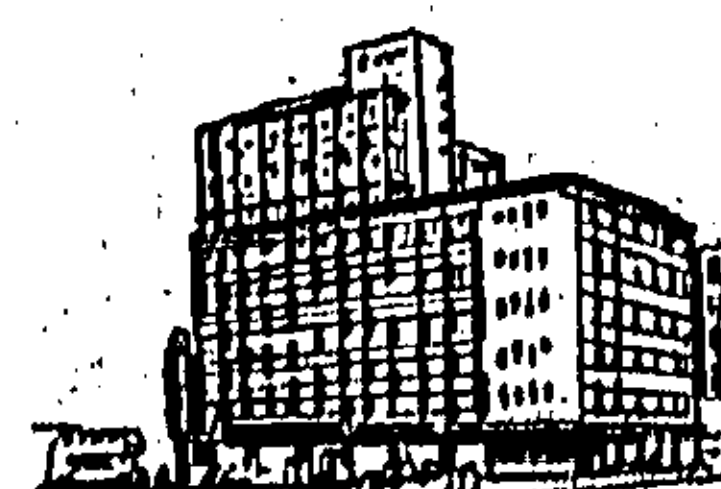
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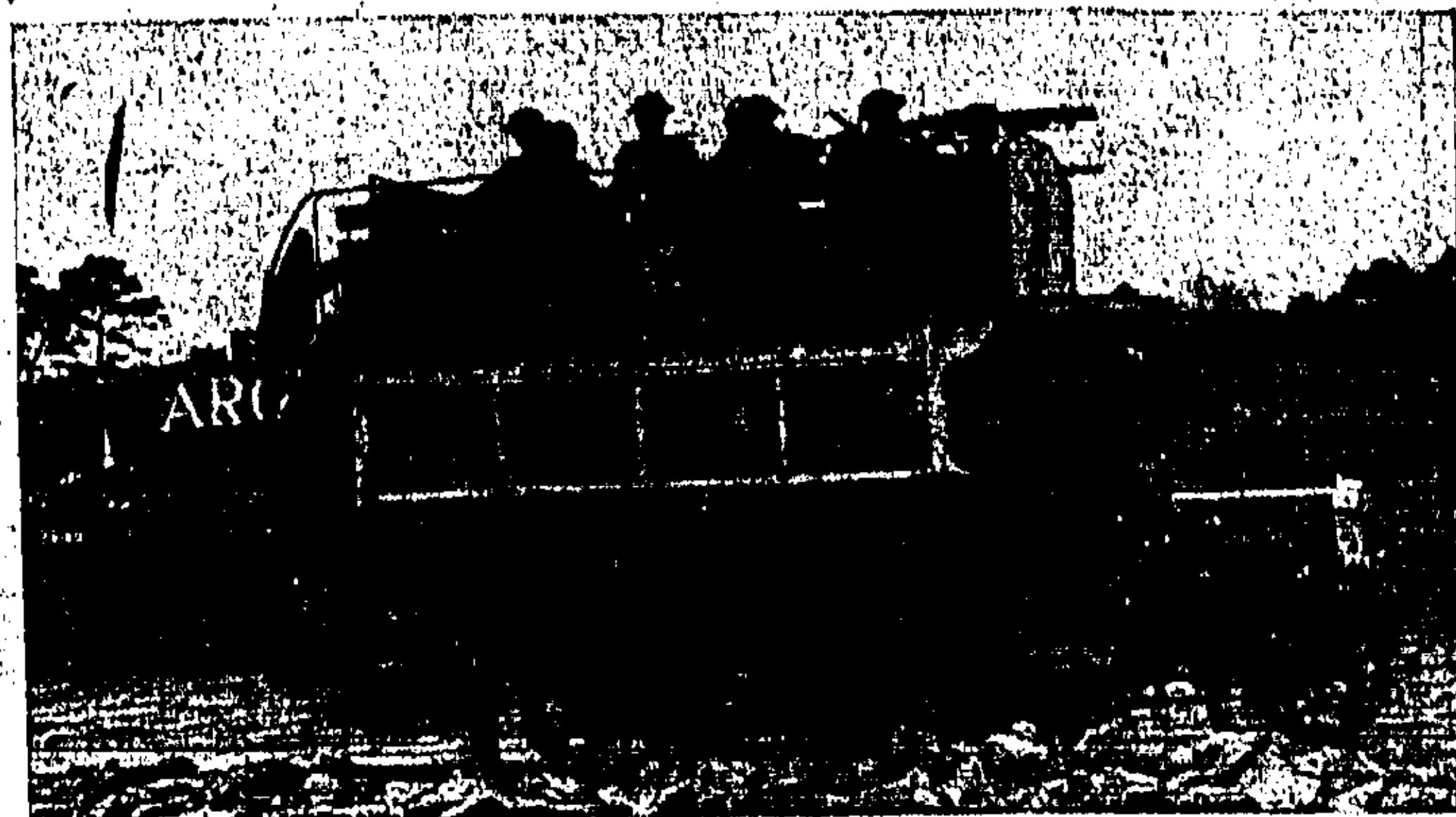
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RIGHT: Old Bill, a London bus used for troop transportation in France in 1914, showed its paces once again in a drive past of Army vehicles at Cobham. Aboard Old Bill is a section of men of the 1st Battalion Coldstream Guards dressed and equipped as their grandfathers were in the first world war, even including the Lewis machine-gun pointing forward over the top of the bus.



LEFT: H.R.H. Princess Marina, Duchess of Kent, Colonel-in-Chief of the Devonshire and Dorset Regiment unveiled the Dorset Regiment Memorial Screen in Sherborne Abbey during a special service held on Saturday, Oct. 21.



LEFT: The Hoversled, a new idea for moving badly wounded soldiers quickly and painlessly from the battlefield, was demonstrated to Service officers by the Army's Fighting Vehicles Research Establishment at Chertsey, Surrey. The sled consists of a simple platform supported on an air cushion maintained by a motor-driven fan. The sled, carrying a wounded man, can be pushed, pulled or towed over any kind of rough ground or water, and it smooths out any bumps.



ABOVE: A ban-the-bomb protest march directed at the Russian Embassy in London was halted nearby, in Boyswater-road. The demonstrators against the "K-Bomb" (Kruschev's 50 megaton bomb) sat down until police picked them up and carried them into waiting vans, off to the police station, where 512 were charged.



ABOVE: The Prime Minister, heads of Diplomatic missions, MP's etc. attended a memorial service at Westminster Abbey for Dag Hammarskjöld—late Secretary-General of the U.N. Photo shows Mr Edward Heath, Lord Privy Seal, (left) seen arriving with the Foreign Secretary, the Earl of Home and his wife at Westminster Abbey for the Memorial Service.



ABOVE: Stefan Knapp, a 40-year-old former pilot, painting a 10,000 ft mural on steel panels, supported by trusses, in a hangar rented from the RAF at West-Drayton, Middlesex. As he paints, Mr Knapp glides on skis over the panels, which will eventually be assembled on the front of a building in New Jersey, USA.



ABOVE: Princess Margaret and her husband Mr Antony Armstrong-Jones (now Lord Snowdon) leave Westminster Abbey.

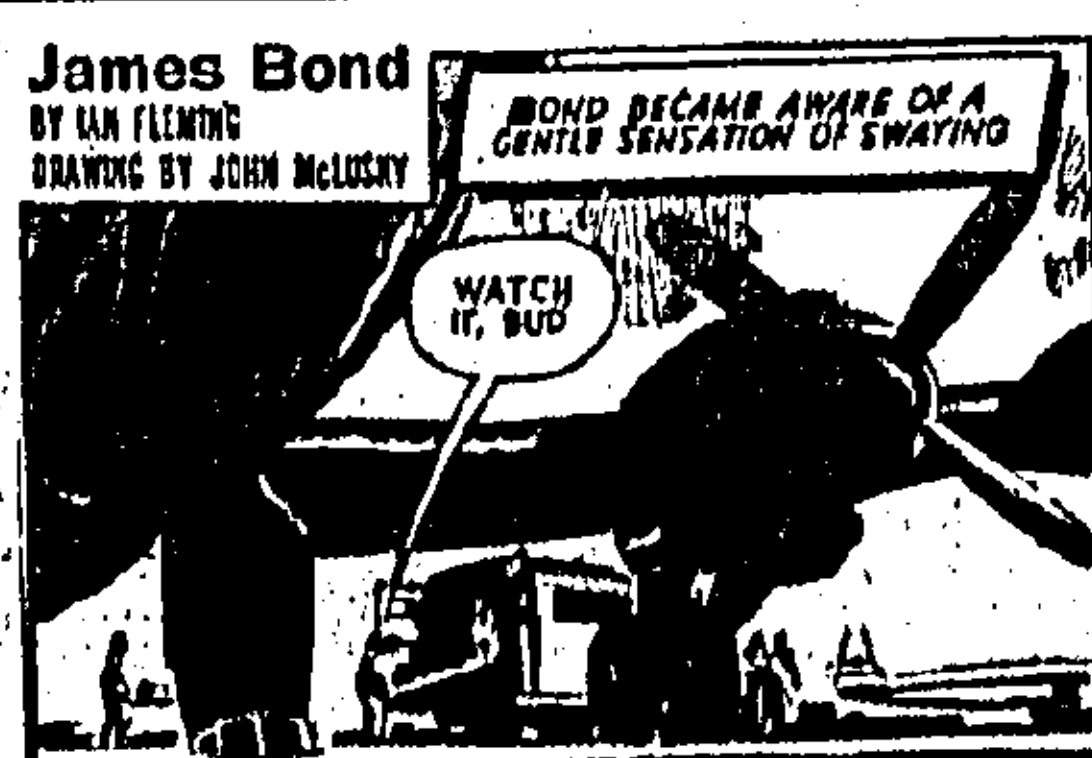
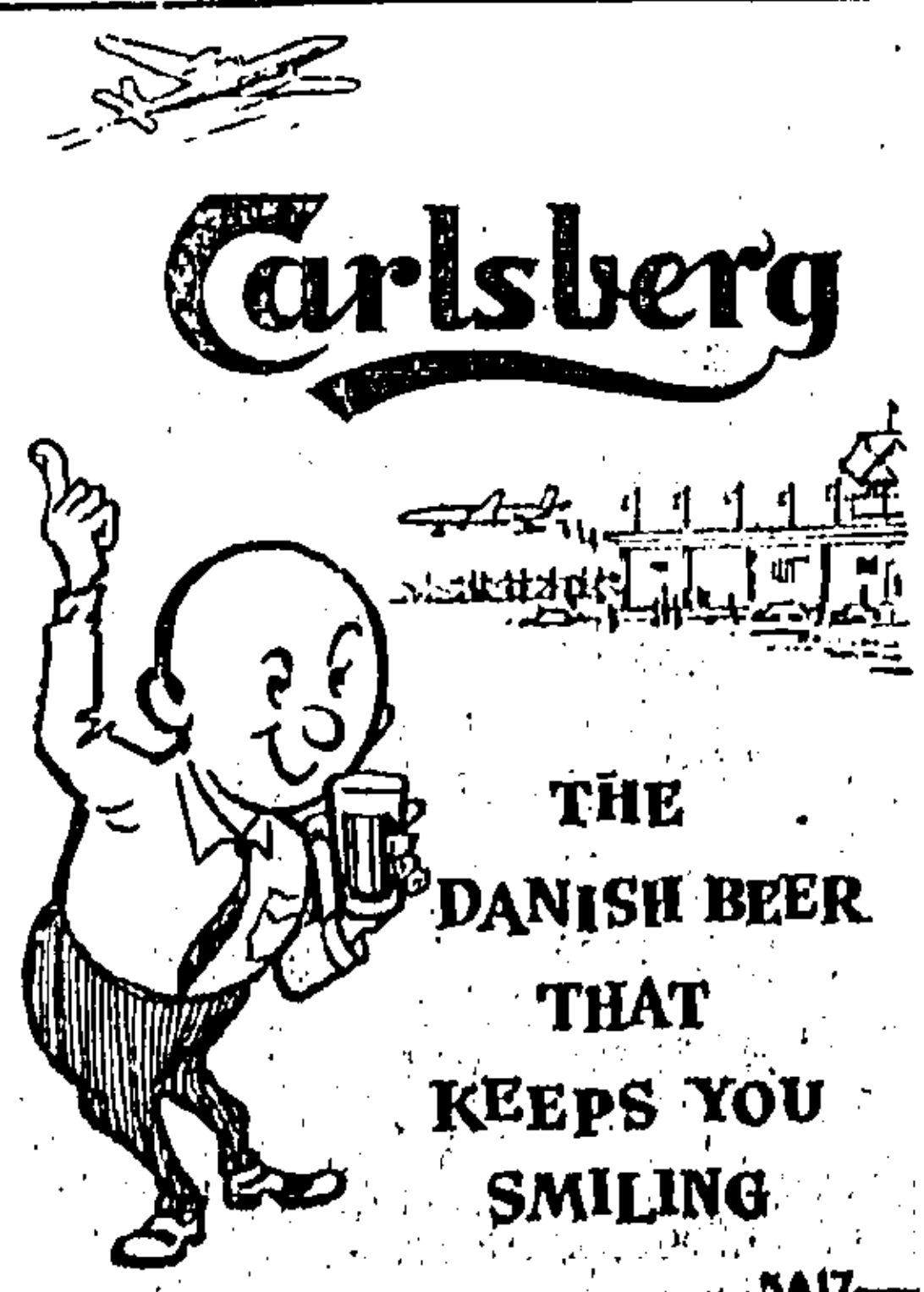


LEFT: Captain Henrique Galvao, who seized the Portuguese liner Santa Maria in January, at London Airport. He was on his way to Stockholm, where he starts a lecture tour. When he landed, he was escorted in a police van to the main passenger building at the airport, and held for five hours until he left in the plane for Stockholm.

BELOW: "Twisters" in full gyration at a London jazz club. Basic rule of the dance — don't touch your partner.



BELOW: In his Welsh mountain home, 5,000 miles from his native bush village in Africa, Tommy Ross takes his first steps over after spending his ten years with his legs curled under him. Mrs Margaret Barnett brought him to England where surgeons gave their skill free and enabled Tommy to stand upright for the first time in his life.



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Saturday, 8.00 p.m.	MILITARY TATTOO
Sunday, 10.45 a.m.	REMEMBRANCE DAY CEREMONY
Tuesday, 8.20 a.m.	DEPARTURE

SCORE OF NEW WINTER PROGRAMMES

DEBATE — Well-known local personalities argue issues — serious and otherwise — under the chairmanship of K. A. Watson. Motions range from the lamentability of the loss of Old England to the Scotch to whether or not the scientist is irresponsible and leading us all to destruction. Neither platform nor floor speakers are lost for words. Mondays, 8 pm.

BRAINS TRUST — Distinguished Hongkong men and women discuss general subjects suggested by listeners' letters, which should be addressed to Brains Trust, Radio Hongkong, P.O. Box 200. Starts Thursday, 9.15 pm.

WORLD OF BOOKS — Topical literary magazine on books and authors. Edited by Ian MacLachlan of Hongkong University's English Department. Includes reviews of new books on sale in Hongkong, talks and discussions on broader topics. Starts Wednesday, 9.15 pm.

OF FACT AND FANCY — People in Britain famous in their field or renowned as broadcasters share some of the startling information life has revealed to them, recall things they remember from way back, or just ride their favourite hobby horses. Mondays, 9.15 pm.

RESPECTING SCIENCE — Robin Maneely, himself a scientist, introduces other scientists, and science writers, with something to say about a multitude of things scientific — from nuclear physics to a machine that speaks for itself. Starts Thursday, 9.15 pm.

THE SPOKEN WORD — New-comer Jean Ezra introduces recordings made by famous readers and actors of prose and verse, grave and gay. Starts Saturday, November 11, 10 pm.

SOME TALK OF ALEXANDER — Comment, caustic and sometimes kindly, from Radio Hongkong's cultural correspondent in Britain, Stephen Alexander. Sunday, 6.40 pm.

ON WINGS OF SONG — Clive Simpson turns his attention to the art song and, using translations of the texts, enables listeners to understand better this harmonious marriage between words and music. First fortnightly programme Friday, November 17, 10.15 pm, repeated Wednesday.

SQUARE ISLAND — A long-haired 'castaways' choice. First victim; K.M.A. Barnett. Thursday, 7.30 pm.

EXPLORING THE PIANO REPERTOIRE WITH JOSEPH BLOCH — The American pianist plays obscure music of the 18th, 19th and 20th centuries. Recorded by this staff member of the world famous Juilliard School of Music during his visit last month. Wednesday, 8.15 pm.

HAS MODERN MUSIC GONE TOO FAR? — From the complaints of Bartok, and even Stravinsky, one would think so.

Four British musicians thrash the question over: Deryck Cooke and Peter Stadlen say 'yes,' and Iain Hamilton 'no.' The programme serves as an introduction to a new BBC series on 'New Music' by young British composers. Starts Thursday, 10.15 pm.

KING OF INSTRUMENTS — British organist and conductor Gerald Jones describes and plays some of the oldest and most interesting organs in Britain, and talks about their historic surroundings. Series of 13 recitals starts Tuesday, 11.45 pm.

THE BRIAN GUNS SHOW — Requests for sophisticated, rather than the lunatic fringe. Letters welcome now for the first programme, starts Tuesday, November 15, 8 pm.

KWANTUNG WAH — Cantonese lessons designed to give the average foreign listener enough of the language to find his way about, do a little shopping, order a meal and generally make life easier. Monday to Friday, 6.30 pm, starting November 13.

DAILY DOZEN — Simple keep-fit session with Jean Filshie, ballet and physical culture expert. Monday to Saturday, 7.30 am.

LISTEN TO THIS! — A second hearing of those people in Hongkong with something to say first heard in the spring and early summer. Saturdays, 4 pm.

OLD HONGKONG — Colony history and legend re-explored over a fortnight by those who know it. (Rebroadcast of summer series.) Monday to Saturday 9.45 pm starting Monday.

LET'S TAKE A TRIP — A musically conducted tour with Michael Bulmer. Visiting different countries, meeting the people, hearing about the places of interest, the food and drink, and the things to buy there. Starts Sunday, November 12 at 12.30 pm.

Today

10.00	am TIME SIGNAL, RADIO NEWSREEL (Repeat).
10.15	THE VOICE OF CONNIE FRANCIS.
10.30	PARIS STAR TIME — The French Broadcasting System in North America.
10.55	WEATHER REPORT.
11.00	SYMPHONY — "Happy Seas and Prosperous Voyage" — Overture Op. 27 (Mendelssohn) — Vienna Symphony Orchestra conducted by Hans Moltkau; "I Vespere Siciliani" (Verdi) — Bolero: Merce, diletti amici, Mad Scene from "Lucia Di Lamermoor" (Donizetti) — Joan Sutherland (Vocal) with the Paris Conservatoire Orchestra conducted by Nello Santi; Symphony No. 94 in G major ("Surprise") (Haydn) — The Royal Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham.
12.00	Noon. THUD AND BLUNDER — No. 6 "Two Under Par" (Repeat).
12.30	pm HIG HAND SHOW.
1.00	TIME SIGNAL, DIARY FOR TODAY.
1.15	WEATHER REPORT.
1.30	TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
1.45	AFTERNOON RECITAL.
2.00	MY WORD — A Panel Game (Repeat).

2.30	MAINLY MUSIC.
3.00	YOU AND I — Presented by Thelma Stuart.
3.30	CONCERTO NO. 1 IN G MINOR FOR VIOLIN & ORCHESTRA, OP. 28 (BRUCH) — David Oistrakh (Violin) & London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Lovro Von Matacic; Jota (No. 4 of 7 Cancones Populares Espanolas) (Fallas) — David Oistrakh (Violin), Vladimir Yampolsky (Piano).
3.55	WEATHER REPORT.
4.00	SING SOMETHING SIMPLE — With The Adam Singers.
4.30	U.S. IN SPACE.
5.00	TEA DANCE.
5.30	WEATHER REPORT.
6.00	TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
6.10	INTERLUDE.
6.15	ANOTHER DRINKARD — A talk by Anthony Smith.
6.30	COMPOSER CAVALCADE — Introduced by Alleen Woods.
7.00	TIME SIGNAL, TODAY.
7.15	BRITAIN SINGS — Rossendale Male Voice Choir.
7.30	FIRST HEARING — Introduced by Ray Simpson.
7.55	WEATHER REPORT.
8.00	TIME SIGNAL (GREENWICH).
8.15	SOMETHING TO SHOUT ABOUT — A light hearted look at the advertising world.
8.30	SPORTSCAST — Produced by Victor Price.
9.00	THE BEST IN MUSIC.
9.30	BEYOND OUR KEN — With Kenneth Horne.
9.55	WEATHER REPORT.
10.00	TIME SIGNAL (GREENWICH).
10.15	THE NEWS, NEWS ABOUT BRITAIN.
10.30	IN THE COOL, COOL, COOL OF THE EVENING.
10.55	WEATHER REPORT.
11.00	TIME SIGNAL (GREENWICH) AND BIG BEN RADIO NEWSREEL.
11.15	SATURDAY NIGHT HOP.
11.57	WEATHER REPORT.
11.59	NEWS HEADLINES.
12.00	Midnight TIME SIGNAL, CLOSE DOWN—GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Sunday

7.00	am TIME SIGNAL, SUNDAY MORNING MUSIC.
7.15	NEWS SUMMARY.
7.20	SUNDAY MORNING MUSIC — (Cont'd).
7.55	WEATHER REPORT.
8.00	TIME SIGNAL, SUNDAY BEST — Peer Gynt Suite No. 1 Op. 46 (Grieg).
8.55	WEATHER REPORT.
9.00	TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS, WEATHER REPORT AND SPORTS RESULTS.
9.10	PROGRAMME PARADE.
9.15	THE SHEARING SOUND.
9.30	FORCES FAVOURITES — Presented by Audrey.
10.30	WOMAN'S WORLD.
10.55	WEATHER REPORT.
11.00	SERVICE FROM ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL — Preacher: The Very Rev. Barry Tull, Dean of Hongkong.
12.00	Noon MUSIC MAGAZINE — Introduced by Irene Yuen (Repeat).

12.30	MUSIC BY KOSTELANETZ.
1.00	TIME SIGNAL, GOING TO THE PICTURES — Chairman: Timothy Birch.
1.15	WEATHER REPORT.
1.30	TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
1.45	ON WITH THE DANCE.
2.00	THE ARCHERS — An everyday story of country life in England (Omnibus Edition).
3.00	RAY'S A LAUGH.
3.30	SING IT AGAIN.
3.55	WEATHER REPORT.
4.00	LIFE WITH THE LYONS.
4.30	THE STAR SHOW.
5.00	NEWS FROM RADIO AUSTRALIA.
5.15	ENTER ROBERT CATESBY — A Conversation Piece for November the Fifth Written and Produced by Patricia Penn.
5.45	FROM THE WEEKLIES.
5.55	WEATHER REPORT.
6.00	TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
6.10	EVENSING — Conducted by Rev. H. Stoor R.A.F.
6.40	SOME TALK OF ALEXANDER — Stephen Alexander talks on "Best Schools."
6.55	WEATHER REPORT.
7.00	TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS, COMMENTARY.
7.15	SOMETHING TO SHOUT ABOUT — A light hearted look at the advertising world.
7.45	MAN'S KNOWLEDGE OF MAN — Programme 6, Biological Uniqueness — Strength or Handicap by Dr Leslie Brent.
8.00	THE WORLD OF BOOKS.
8.30	SUNDAY CONCERT — Concerti Grossi, Op. 3 (Handel), No. 1 in B Flat Major, Boyd Neel conducting the Boyd Neel Orchestra, Piano Concerto No. 1 in D Minor, Op. 15 (Brahms), Julius Katchen (Piano) with the London Symphony Orchestra cond. by Pierre Monteux, Symphony "Mathis the Painter" (Paul Hindemith), The Concert of the Angels, The Entombment, The Temptation of Saint Anthony, Berliner Philharmoniker cond. by Paul Hindemith.
9.55	WEATHER REPORT.
10.00	TIME SIGNAL (GREENWICH).
10.15	THE NEWS, NEWS ABOUT BRITAIN.
10.30	SUNDAY RENDEZVOUS — With Brian Guna.
10.55	WEATHER REPORT.
11.00	TIME SIGNAL (GREENWICH) AND BIG BEN RADIO NEWSREEL.
11.15	EPILOGUE — The Twenty-Third Sunday after Trinity The Temple Church.
11.30	CHURCH MUSIC OF THE 16TH AND 17TH CENTURIES—1. Tudor Anthems.
11.57	WEATHER REPORT.
11.59	NEWS HEADLINES.
12.00	Midnight TIME SIGNAL, CLOSE DOWN—GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Monday

7.00	am TIME SIGNAL, MONDAY MUSIC.
7.15	NEWS SUMMARY.
7.20	MONDAY MUSIC.

7.30	DAILY DOZEN—Five minutes of keeping fit to music each morning with Jean Filshie.
7.35	MONDAY MUSIC.
7.45	WEATHER REPORT.
7.55	MONDAY MUSIC.
8.00	TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
8.10	PROGRAMME PARADE.
8.15	DIARY FOR TODAY.
8.30	MONDAY MAINSTREAM.
8.55	WEATHER REPORT.
9.00	TIME SIGNAL, NEWS HEADLINES.
9.02	SOME TALK OF ALEXANDER.
9.35	THE ROYAL VISIT — The University—Her Royal Highness receives an honorary degree in the Lake View Hall and opens the new Students Union Building, Commencement: Pamela Johnston, Ian Kingley and Victor Price.
10.55	INTERLUDE.
10.58	WEATHER REPORT.
11.00	SYMPHONY — Landscapes (Chou Wen-Chung). The Johnson conducting Peninsula Festival Orchestra, Symphony No. 5 in E Flat Major, Op. 42 (Sibelius), The Philadelphia Orchestra cond. by Eugene Ormandy, Ballade Suite for a large Orchestra, Op. 9 (Eugen Sackno), Czech Philharmonic Orchestra cond. by Václav Jiracek.
12.00	EMERGENCY FLIGHT 941—A true story for Radio by Bob Weston.
12.30	pm POP FOR LUNCH.
1.00	TIME SIGNAL, DIARY FOR TODAY.
1.15	WEATHER REPORT.
1.30	TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
1.35	TED HEATH AND HIS MUSIC.
1.40	THE RETURN OF THE NATIVE—11 (Repeat).
2.30	AFTERNOON CONCERT — The Bartered Bride—Overture (Smetana), The Cleveland Orchestra cond. by George Szell, La Matinata (Leonca Vallo), O Sole Mio (di Capua), Juste Boerling (Fencer), Ballet Suite No. 1 (Glinka), (arr. by Mott), Robert Irving conducting the New Symphony Orchestra of London.
3.00	WE LIVE AND LEARN — The Bath Lectures, The Individual and the Universe by Prof. A. C. B. Lovell, F.R.S., O.B.E., 1. "Astronomy Breaks Free."
3.30	MONTEAL BACH CHOIR — Conductor: George Little.
3.55	WEATHER REPORT.
4.00	MEN OF THE SEA — "Against the Sea."
4.30	THE YOUNG IDEA—Presented by Pamela.
5.00	NEWS FROM RADIO AUSTRALIA.
5.10	LUCKY DIP—Presented by Valerie.
5.55	WEATHER REPORT.
6.00	TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
6.10	EVENING STAR.
6.20	INTERLUDE FOR MUSIC — Allstar McHarg.
6.45	THE ARCHERS.
6.55	WEATHER REPORT.
7.00	TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS, COMMENTARY.
7.15	TODAY—A daily news magazine produced by Michael Page.

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1.15 pm NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
1.30 YOUR TEN MINUTE MUSICAL—Cont.
2.15 PROMENADE.
4.00 2 BAND SESSION WITH RALPH FLANAGAN AND MACHITO.
4.30 THEATRE THEATRE.
5.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
5.15 SERVICES SPECIAL.
5.30 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
6.15 Approx. AUTUMN SERENADE.
6.30 TO YOU ALOHA.
7.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
7.15 FRANK SINATRA SINGS.
7.30 SPORTS NEWS WITH YOUR REPORTER BILL WILLIAMS.
8.00 NEWS HEADLINES AND TEDDY WILSON AT THE PIANO.
8.15 BEAT THIS ONE.
8.30 DICK HALVORSEN WITH MUSIC FOR THE HAPPY FAMILY.
9.00 NEWS HEADLINES AND BEN WEBSTER PLAYS.
9.15 THE WHAM OF SAMOY DAVIS JR.
9.30 WRITERS OF CANADA.
10.00 NEWS HEADLINES AND ROBERT MAXWELL.
10.15 SUNDAY CONCERT OF MUSIC BY HAYDN.
11.00 BBC RADIO NEWSREEL RE-LAYED FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
11.15 CHORAL VOCAL MUSIC FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.
11.30 SOFTLY WITH STRINGS.
11.45 Midnight NEWS HEADLINES, WEATHER REPORT—Close Down.

MELACHINO AND THE VOICES OF LES COM-PANEROS DE MEXICO.
11.30 Noon LUNCHTIME REN-DEZVOUS.
1.15 pm NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
1.30 LUNCHTIME RENDEZVOUS—Cont.
2.00 COMPOSER OF THE DAY—Berlioz. Symphonie Fantastique.
2.15 Approx. INTERLUDE FOR THE LADIES.
2.30 KEYBOARD MEDLEY MUSIC.
2.45 WEATHER REPORT.
2.50 CHILDREN'S CORNER.
3.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
3.10 THE QUIET BEAT.
3.30 CLASSICAL CONCERT—Mozart Piano Concerto No. 27.
4.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND CLOSING RATES FROM HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE.
4.15 Approx. MUSIC FROM BENEATH BLUE SKIES.
4.30 THE HI FI CLUB.
5.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
5.15 RECITAL BY MILANOV.
5.30 AROUND THE CRACKER BARRELL (Repeat).
6.00 NEWS HEADLINES AND BOOKMARK.
6.15 THE ORCHESTRAS OF RICARDO SANTOS AND TERRY SNYDER.
6.30 KIT MASTERS AND 'STAR TALK'.
7.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
7.15 RADIO REPORT.
7.30 SYMPHONY HALL.
7.45 NEWS HEADLINES AND CARLO SAVINA.
8.00 MUSIC OF OUR TIME INTRODUCED BY NICK DE-MUTH.
8.15 BBC RADIO NEWSREEL.
8.30 MUSIC TILL MIDNIGHT.
8.45 Midnight NEWS HEADLINES, WEATHER REPORT—Close Down.

TO YOU ALOHA (Repeat).
11.30 Noon LUNCHTIME REN-DEZVOUS.
1.15 pm NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
1.30 LUNCHTIME RENDEZVOUS—COMPOSER OF THE DAY—Rachmaninoff piano Concerto No. 3, van Cliburn with the Symphony of the Air.
2.15 Approx. INTERLUDE FOR THE LADIES.
2.30 STRINGS FOR TEA TIME.
2.45 WEATHER REPORT.
2.50 CHILDREN'S CORNER.
3.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
3.10 THAT LATIN BEAT.
3.30 PASSPORT TO ROMANCE—With Stanley Black and Brook Benton.
4.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
4.15 Approx. CLOSING RATES FROM HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE—Followed by On Wings of Song.
4.30 NICK KENDALL AND THE TOP TEN.
5.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
5.15 EPISODE 111 'SUPERMAN'.
5.30 RADIO NOVELS. 'BLACK PASSAGE'.
6.00 NEWS HEADLINES.
6.15 Approx. SPEECHES BY SIR S. N. CHAU AND PRINCESS ALEXANDRA AT A DINNER GIVEN BY THE CHINESE COMMUNITY AT CAVE DE CHINE RE-LAYED FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
6.30 ASK FOR A LAUGH—With John Wallace.
7.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
7.15 RADIO REPORT.
7.30 SYMPHONY HALL—Dick Halvorsen introduces the Poem of Fire by Scriabin and 3 Preludes.
8.00 NEWS HEADLINES AND ROGER WILLIAMS.
8.15 KENDALL'S CORNER.
8.30 BBC RADIO NEWSREEL.
8.45 MUSIC TILL MIDNIGHT.
8.55 Midnight NEWS HEADLINES, WEATHER REPORT—Close Down.

10.00 THE ORCHESTRAS OF RAY ANTHONY AND FRANK CHACKFIELD.
10.30 HOORAY FOR LOVE.
11.00 MUSIC FROM THE FILMS.
11.30 HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE WORLD'S MOST POPULAR OPERAS.
12.00 Noon LUNCHTIME REN-DEZVOUS.
1.15 pm NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
1.30 LUNCHTIME RENDEZVOUS—Cont.
2.00 COMPOSER OF THE DAY—Saint Saens. Violin Concerto No. 3 Havanaise. Introduction and Rondo Capriccioso.
2.15 Approx. INTERLUDE FOR THE LADIES—Presented by Mary Collins.
2.30 TEA DANCE.
2.45 WEATHER REPORT.
2.50 CHILDREN'S CORNER.
3.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
3.10 BIG BAND BASH.
3.30 ARTISTS OF DISTINCTION.
4.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
4.15 Approx. THE MANY MUSICAL SIDES OF NORMAN LUBOFF.
4.30 THE HI FI CLUB.
5.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
5.15 EPISODE 118 'SUPERMAN'.
5.30 LOS DESPERADOS.
5.45 RENDEZVOUS FOR STRINGS WITH AQUAVIVA.
6.00 NEWS HEADLINES.
6.15 KRITCHMAR.
6.30 MOBY DICK BY HERMAN MELVILLE WITH CHARLES LAUGHTON.
7.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
7.15 RADIO REPORT.
7.30 SYMPHONY HALL—Dick Halvorsen introduces De Falla's Nights in the Gardens of Spain. Also the 3rd movement of Mozart's Violin Concerto played by Arthur Graumann.
8.00 NEWS HEADLINES AND EAST OF INDIA WITH WERNER MOLLER.
8.15 THE LATE SHOW WITH BOB WILLIAMS.
8.30 BBC RADIO NEWSREEL RE-LAYED FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
8.45 MUSIC TILL MIDNIGHT.
8.55 Midnight NEWS HEADLINES, WEATHER REPORT—Close Down.

6.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
6.10 CLOSING RATES FROM HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE.
6.30 RECITAL BY PADEREWSKI.
6.45 THE NEW ONES.
7.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
7.15 EPISODE 119 'SUPERMAN'.
7.30 TURIN MOTORS TIME.
8.00 HIGHLIGHT FROM THE MILITARY TATTOO BROUGHT TO YOU.
8.30 THE NATIONAL HALF HOUR.
9.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
9.15 RADIO REPORT.
9.30 SYMPHONY HALL—Dick Halvorsen introduces De Falla's El Amor Brujo.
10.00 NEWS HEADLINES AND IAN FRASER. 50 FINGERS 5 GUITARS.
10.15 A PRESSING ENGAGEMENT WITH KIT MASTERS.
11.00 BBC RADIO NEWSREEL RE-LAYED FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
11.15 MUSIC TILL MIDNIGHT.
11.30 Midnight NEWS HEADLINES, WEATHER REPORT—Close Down.

Friday

7.00 am LET'S FACE IT.
8.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
8.10 LET'S FACE IT.
8.45 JOIN JOHN WALLACE AT SUNNY BROOK FARM.
9.00 HOUSEWIVES' CHOICE.
10.00 THE STRINGS OF A ROBERT STOLZ AND TAL FARLOW.
10.30 EXTRACTS FROM 'THE KING & I'.
11.00 MUSIC FOR THE MILLIONS.
11.30 MUSIC AROUND THE WORLD.
12.00 Noon LUNCHTIME REN-DEZVOUS.
1.15 pm NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
1.30 LUNCHTIME RENDEZVOUS—Cont.
2.00 COMPOSER OF THE DAY—Holst. The Planets.
2.15 Approx. INTERLUDE.
2.30 FOR THE LADIES.
2.45 CAVALCADE OF STRINGS.
3.00 WEATHER REPORT.
3.10 CHILDREN'S CORNER.
3.30 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
3.45 ROUND TRIP.
4.00 THE HI FI CLUB REQUEST.
4.15 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
4.30 EPISODE 118 'SUPERMAN'.
4.45 EARL HAIG'S POPPY DAY APPEAL.
5.00 OUR RACING CORRESPONDENT'S TIPS FOR THE 3rd RACE MEETING TOMORROW AT CLIFFY VALLEY.
5.15 NEWS HEADLINES AND THE MISTAKES THEY MADE—Programme 8 The Greater Fury.
5.30 BOB WILLIAMS ASKS REMEMBER WHEN?
6.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
6.15 RADIO REPORT.
6.30 SYMPHONY HALL—Dick Halvorsen introduces Suchon's Serenade for Strings, op. 5. Also pieces from Ravel's Mother Goose Suite.
6.45 NEWS HEADLINES AND JACKIE GLAZON.
7.00 ONCE UPON A TURNTABLE—Presented by John Wallace.
7.15 BBC RADIO NEWSREEL RE-LAYED FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
7.30 LATE NIGHT SYMPHONY CONCERT—Rachmaninoff Symphony No. 3 in A minor. Also Mozart Symphony No. 31.
8.00 Midnight NEWS HEADLINES, WEATHER REPORT—Close Down.

Monday

7.00 am LET'S FACE IT.
8.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
8.10 LET'S FACE IT—Cont.
8.45 JOIN JOHN WALLACE AT SUNNY BROOK FARM.
9.00 HOUSEWIVES' CHOICE.
9.15 WILKES-MULLER—Classical with Cantata.
9.30 DAY DANKWORTH AND DARYN.
10.00 THE QUIET TIME WITH

Tuesday

7.00 am LET'S FACE IT.
8.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
8.10 LET'S FACE IT—Cont.
8.45 JOIN JOHN WALLACE AT SUNNY BROOK FARM.
9.00 HOUSEWIVES' CHOICE.
9.15 MUSIC FROM THE BALLET.
9.30 MUSIC FOR THE JOY OF LIVING.

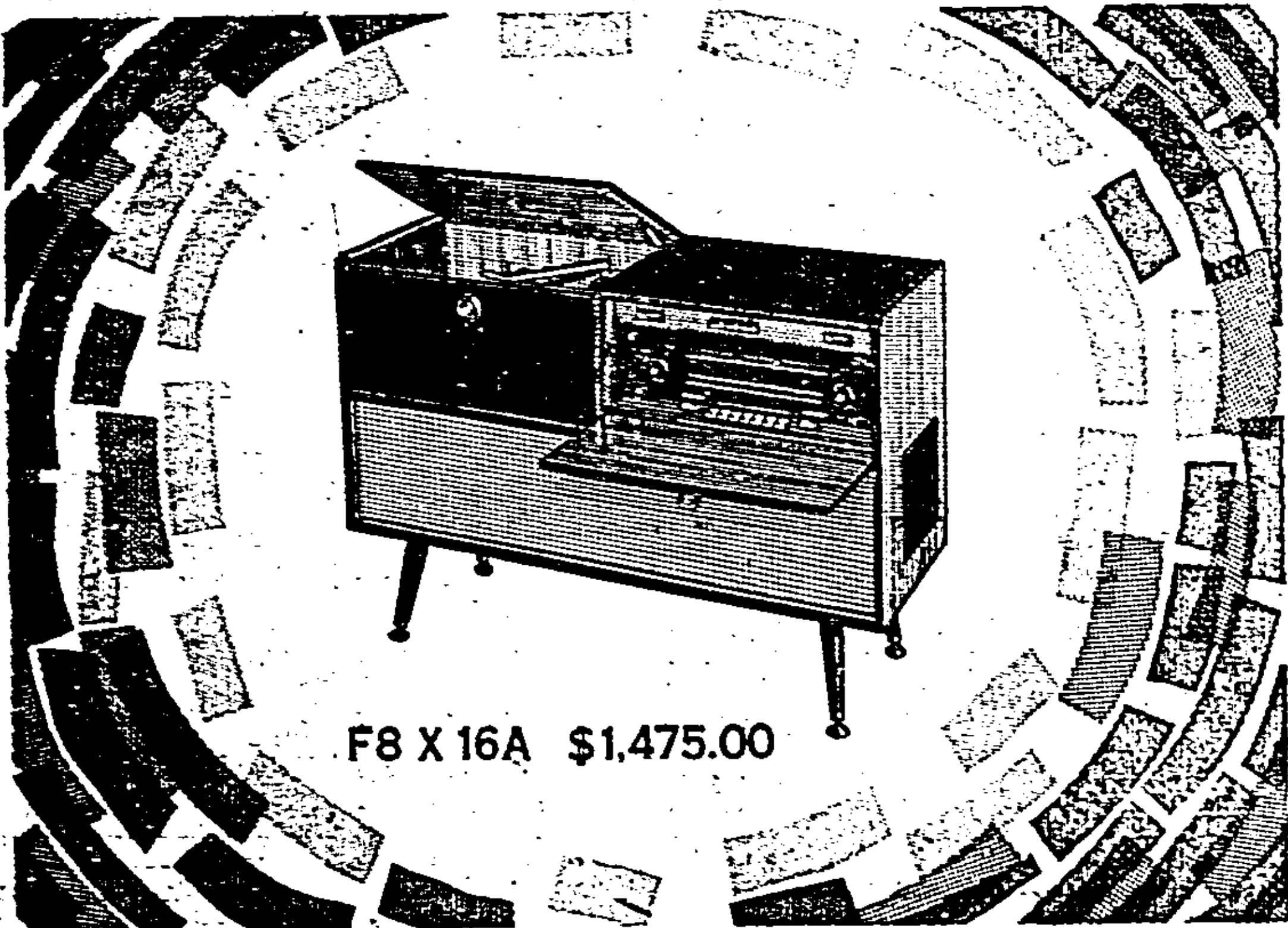
Wednesday

7.00 am RISE AND SHINE.
8.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
8.10 RISE AND SHINE—Cont.
8.45 JOIN JOHN WALLACE AT SUNNY BROOK FARM.
9.00 HOUSEWIVES' CHOICE.

Thursday

7.00 am LET'S FACE IT.
8.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
8.10 LET'S FACE IT—Cont.
8.45 JOIN JOHN WALLACE AT SUNNY BROOK FARM.
9.00 HOUSEWIVES' CHOICE.
10.00 IN A SENTIMENTAL MOOD.
10.30 LOVE, LAMIN AND LOVE-LACE WATKINS.
11.00 ON THE SERIOUS SIDE.
11.30 SALUTE TO THE SMOOTH BANDS.
12.00 Noon LUNCHTIME REN-DEZVOUS.
1.15 pm NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
1.30 LUNCHTIME RENDEZVOUS—Cont.
2.00 COMPOSER OF THE DAY—Puccini. Madame Butterfly.
2.15 Approx. INTERLUDE.
2.30 FOR THE LADIES.
2.45 ONE HUNDRED VIOLINS.
2.50 WEATHER REPORT.
3.00 CHILDREN'S CORNER.
3.10 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
3.30 RAY ANTHONY PLAYS FOR DANCERS.
3.45 CLASSICAL CONCERT—3 Palestrina Overtures. Also Largo. Majestic. Allegro Vivace from Symphony No. 53 in D major by Haydn.

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SATURDAY, NOV. 4
8.00 pm THE NEWS, Commentary, Sports Round-Up.
8.30 FROM THE WEEKLIES.
8.45 SEMPRENT SERENADE.
9.00 FORCES' FAVOURITES.
10.00 THE NEWS, News About Britain, The World Today.
10.30 THE ABC OF THE UNIVERSE, 6: The Limits of Perception.
10.45 LISTENERS' CHOICE.
11.00 Big Ben. RADIO NEWSREEL.
SUNDAY, NOV. 5
7.00 pm THE NEWS, Commentary, Sports Round-Up.
7.30 BEYOND OUR KEN.
8.00 SOMETHING BORROWED.
8.30 LISTENERS' CHOICE.
9.00 THE NEWS, News About Britain, The Outlooker.
9.30 ASIAN AFFAIRS IN THE BRITISH PRESS.
9.45 PROGRAMME PARADE.
9.45 DANCE MUSIC.
10.00 Big Ben. RADIO NEWSREEL.
10.15 SONG SHOP.
10.30 CONCERTO.
MONDAY, NOV. 6
7.00 pm THE NEWS, Commentary, Review of the Sporting Press.
7.30 LETTER FROM AMERICA.
7.45 VERY SOME.
8.15 SING SOMETHING SIMPLE.
8.45 MAINLY FOR WOMEN.
9.00 THE NEWS, News About Britain, Asian Club.
9.45 ORCHESTRA OF THE WEEK, The Vienna Philharmonic.
10.00 Big Ben. RADIO NEWSREEL.
10.15 LONDON LIGHTS.
11.00 MUSIC FOR DANCING.
TUESDAY, NOV. 7
7.00 pm THE NEWS, Commentary, Sports Round-Up.
7.30 A BOX AT THE OPERA.
8.00 THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD.
8.15 BBC WEST OF ENGLAND PLAYERS.
8.30 TRAD TIME.
9.00 THE NEWS, News About Britain, The World Today.
9.30 THE ACTOR'S VOICE, 6: The Plays of Bernard Shaw.
9.45 ORCHESTRA OF THE WEEK, The Vienna Philharmonic.
10.00 Big Ben. RADIO NEWSREEL.
10.15 NEW RECORDS.
10.45 PEOPLE AND POLITICS.
WEDNESDAY, NOV. 8
7.00 pm THE NEWS, Commentary, Sports Round-Up.
7.30 SWINGSONG.
8.15 SHORTWAVE LISTENERS' CORNER.
8.30 CONTINENTAL CABARET.
9.00 THE NEWS, News About Britain, The World Today.
9.30 WEST AFRICAN JOURNEY.
9.45 ORCHESTRA OF THE WEEK, The Vienna Philharmonic.
10.00 Big Ben. RADIO NEWSREEL.
10.15 WINDOW ON THE WORLD.
THURSDAY, NOV. 9
7.00 pm THE NEWS, Commentary, Sports Round-Up.
7.30 WELSH MAGAZINE.
8.00 FREE AND EASY.
8.30 CELEBRITY RECITAL, Erich Gruenberg (violin), Franz Beethoven (piano), Sonata in A, Cesar Franck.
9.00 THE NEWS, News About Britain, The World Today.
9.30 NEW IDEAS.
9.40 PROGRAMME PARADE AND INTERLUDE.
9.45 PIPES AND DRUMS.
10.00 Big Ben. RADIO NEWSREEL.
10.15 NEW RECORDS.
10.45 PEOPLE AND POLITICS.
FRIDAY, NOV. 10
7.00 pm THE NEWS, Commentary, Sports Round-Up.
7.30 THE DOG COLLAR, A series in six episodes.
8.00 YOUNGER TRAN SPRING-TIME.
8.30 MERCHANT NAVY PROGRAMME.
9.00 THE NEWS, News About Britain, The World Today.
9.30 LIFE AND LETTERS.
9.45 SIDNEY DAVEY AND HIS PLAYERS, and Programme Parade.
10.00 Big Ben. RADIO NEWSREEL.
10.15 MUSIC FROM THE LONDON THEATRES.
11.00 THE VIENNA PHILHARMONIC.

Radio HK (cont'd)

- 7.55 SHOW BUSINESS—Introduced by Aileen Woods.
- 8.00 RADIO HONGKONG DEBATE—This House believes that it is not so much to be lamented that the Scotch have found it. Proposed by Mr. Colwyn Hays. Opposed by Mr. Hugh Galloway. The Reverend Father T. Sheridan, S.J., will speak third. Mr. Bill Doward will speak fourth. President: Mr. K. A. Wilson. (Recorded on the occasion of the first of a series of debates held in Radio Hongkong's Concert Hall, produced by Patricia Penn.)
- 8.15 WEATHER REPORT.
- 8.21 TIME SIGNAL (GREENWICH). THE NEWS, NEWS ABOUT BRITAIN.
- 8.25 OF FACT AND FANCY—Patricia Penn introduces people in all walks of life and every profession who talk about things that interest them.
- 8.35 OLD HONGKONG—Corners of Hongkong history and legend explored. 1. The Mountain, by the Rev. Father F. T. Ryan S.J.
- INTERLUDE.
- 10.00 THE NEW ENGLISH BIBLE—Reader.
- 10.15 CANDLELIGHT—Presented by Pamela.
- 11.13 WEATHER REPORT.
- 11.00 TIME SIGNAL (GREENWICH) AND BIG BEN RADIO NEWSREEL.
- 11.15 VIOLIN SONATAS OF BEETHOVEN.
- 11.17 WEATHER REPORT.
- 11.19 NEWS HEADLINES.
- 12.00 MIDDNIGHT TIME SIGNAL, CLOSE DOWN—GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

11.53 NEWS HEADLINES. SIGNAL.

12.00 MIDDNIGHT TIME SIGNAL, CLOSE DOWN—GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Wednesday

- 7.00 am TIME SIGNAL, RISING NOTES.
- 7.15 NEWS SUMMARY.
- 7.20 RISING NOTES—(Cont'd).
- 7.25 DAILY DOZEN—Five minutes of keeping fit to music each morning with Jean Filshie.
- 7.35 WEATHER REPORT.
- 7.41 RISING NOTES—(Cont'd).
- 7.43 WEATHER REPORT.
- 7.47 RISING NOTES—(Cont'd).
- 7.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 8.00 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
- 8.10 PROGRAMME PARADE.
- 8.15 DIARY FOR TODAY, MID WEEK MELODIES.
- 8.23 WEATHER REPORT.
- 9.00 TIME SIGNAL, NEWS HEADLINES.
- 9.02 HOME TILL TEN—With David Duckley.
- 10.00 TIME SIGNAL, RADIO NEWSREEL (Repeat).
- 10.15 JONI JAMES SINGS.
- 10.30 THE WORLD AROUND US—And the Waters Covered the Earth—The story of Kaniba Dam, by John Hooper.
- 10.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 11.00 THE MERRY WIDOW (LEHAR) ACT II & III—Elisabeth Schwarzkopf (Soprano), Erich Kunz (Baritone), Soloists with the Philharmonia Orchestra and Chorus conducted by Otto Ackermann.
- 11.15 LET'S MAKE MUSIC.
- 12.00 PM THE GOOD OLD TUNES—By Frank Milton.
- 1.00 TIME SIGNAL, DIARY FOR TODAY.
- 1.13 WEATHER REPORT.
- 1.15 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
- 1.20 SOMETHING TO SHOUT AGAIN—A light hearted look at the advertising world (Repeat).
- 2.00 MUSIC FOR YOU.
- 2.30 COMPOSER CAVALCADE—Introduced by Aileen Woods (Repeat).
- 3.00 WE LIVE AND LEARN—The Early Days of the Royal Society—by Sir Geoffrey Keynes.
- 3.25 THE ROYAL VISIT—Youth Festival—Her Royal Highness Princess Alexandra visits the Hongkong Football Club Stadium to see a display put on by the Youth of Hongkong. Scene described by Pamela Johnston. Donald Brooks and Victor Price, with recorded interviews with many of those taking part.
- 4.15 THE YOUNG IDEA—Presented by Pamela.
- 5.00 NEWS FROM RADIO AUSTRALIA.
- 5.15 HOMOEROUND BOUND—Music for tired workers.
- 5.30 WEATHER REPORT.
- 5.40 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
- 5.45 INTERLUDE.
- 5.55 MUSIC FROM HOLLAND—Mazurkas.
- 6.30 INTERLUDE FOR MUSIC—Raymond Gierd.
- 6.45 THE ARCHERS—An everyday story of country life in England.
- 7.00 WEATHER REPORT.
- 7.15 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS, COMMENTARY.
- 7.20 TODAY.
- 7.25 YOU AND I—Presented by Theresa Stuart.
- 7.30 TALKING ABOUT BOOKS.
- 8.15 ANNAROSA TADDEI—A recital by the well-known Italian pianist from the Concert Hall.
- 8.15 LETTER FROM AMERICA—By Alistair Cooke (AM Only).
- 8.53 WEATHER REPORT (AM ONLY).
- 9.00 TIME SIGNAL (GREENWICH), THE NEWS, NEWS ABOUT BRITAIN (AM ONLY).
- 9.15 RESPECTING SCIENCE—A magazine programme by and about scientists. Compiled and introduced by Robin Mancey (AM Only).
- 9.45 OLD HONGKONG—Corners of Hongkong history and legend explored. No. 3 St. Francis Xavier and Hongkong by Alberto da Cruz (AM Only).
- 10.00 THE NEW ENGLISH BIBLE—Reader (AM Only).
- 10.15 WHAT IS POETRY (AM ONLY).
- 10.45 FLANG ARTISTRY—GEORGE FEYER (AM ONLY).
- 10.53 WEATHER REPORT (AM ONLY).
- 11.00 TIME SIGNAL (GREENWICH) AND BIG BEN RADIO NEWSREEL (AM ONLY).
- 11.15 DANCE DATE.
- 11.17 WEATHER REPORT.
- 11.19 NEWS HEADLINES.
- 12.00 MIDDNIGHT TIME SIGNAL, CLOSE DOWN—GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

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- 8.45 pm AT THE OPERA—The Magic Flute (Mozart), Acts 1 and 2. Soloists: Joseph Greindl, Ernst Haefliger, Rita Streich, Maria Stader, Fischer-Dieskau, RIAS Symphony Orchestra of Berlin, RIAS Chamber Choir, Berlin Motet Choir, conducted by Ferenc Fricsay.

Thursday

- 7.00 am TIME SIGNAL, UP WITH THE SUN.
- 7.15 NEWS SUMMARY.
- 7.20 UP WITH THE SUN—(Cont'd).
- 7.25 DAILY DOZEN—Five minutes of keeping fit to music each morning with Jean Filshie.
- 7.35 UP WITH THE SUN—(Cont'd).
- 7.43 WEATHER REPORT.
- 7.47 UP WITH THE SUN—(Cont'd).
- 7.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 8.00 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
- 8.10 PROGRAMME PARADE.
- 8.15 DIARY FOR TODAY, TIP TOP TUNES.
- 8.23 WEATHER REPORT.
- 9.00 TIME SIGNAL, NEWS HEADLINES.
- 9.02 HOME TILL TEN—With John Carwell.
- 10.00 TIME SIGNAL, RADIO NEWSREEL (Repeat).
- 10.15 GEORGIA GIBBS SINGS.
- 10.30 THE WORLD AROUND US—(a) Perspective of The Other Nuclear Club, (b) U.N. Story—Charles Fulkner, Narcotics Expert.

- 10.33 WEATHER REPORT.
- 11.00 MATINEE MUSICAL—Sonata No. 14 in C Sharp Minor ("Moonlight"), Op. 27, No. 2 (Beethoven), Walter Gieseking (Piano), Estampes (Debussy), Walter Gieseking (Piano), Sonata for Violin solo, Op. 31, No. 2 (Hindemith), Ruggiero Ricci (Violin), Nocturne No. 20, Op. posth. (Chopin), Ruggiero Ricci (Violin) with Ernest Lush (Piano), Scherzo-Tarantelle, Op. 18 (Wienlawski), Ruggiero Ricci (Violin) with Ernest Lush (Piano), Impromptu No. 1 in F Minor, Op. 142 (Franz Schubert) Allegro moderato, Impromptu Op. 90 No. 1 in G Minor, Allegro molto moderato (Franz Schubert), Paul Badura-Skoda (Piano).
- 12.00 NOON SHORT STORIES—Thatcher read by Mary Temple.
- 12.30 pm YOUR RADIO CONCERT HALL—Ezio Pinza (Basso) with Donald Voorhees and his Orchestra.
- 1.00 TIME SIGNAL, DIARY FOR TODAY.
- 1.13 WEATHER REPORT.
- 1.15 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
- 1.20 MODERN JAZZ—Introduced by Ray Cordeiro.
- 2.00 WOMAN'S WORLD.
- 2.30 BAND BOX.
- 3.00 WE LIVE AND LEARN—The Reith Lectures, "The Individual and the Universe," by Prof. A. C. B. Lovell, F.R.S., O.B.E., 3—The New Astronomy.
- 3.30 FIVE CENTURIES OF DUTCH MUSIC—PROGRAMME I—Works from the 15th century by Jacob Obrecht, Pastores Quidam, Vidistis, Three "Souterleedekens." Extra, two files de quinze ans, Salve Regina, Tandemaken, 't Sat en meiken, Composed by Dr Jos Weeters.
- 3.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 4.00 FILM FOCUS.
- 4.30 THE YOUNG IDEA.
- 5.00 NEWS FROM RADIO AUSTRALIA.
- 5.10 HOMOEROUND BOUND.
- 5.30 PORTUGUESE HALF HOUR.
- 5.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 6.00 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
- 6.10 INTERLUDE.
- 6.15 BRITAIN SINGS—Penarth Ladies' Choir—42.
- 6.30 INTERLUDE FOR MUSIC—Raymond Gierd.
- 6.45 THE ARCHERS.
- 7.00 WEATHER REPORT.
- 7.15 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS, COMMENTARY.
- 7.20 TODAY.
- 7.25 THE SQUARE ISLAND.
- 7.30 HONGKONG HIT PARADE—Presented by Michel Meredith.
- 8.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 9.00 TIME SIGNAL (GREENWICH), THE NEWS, NEWS ABOUT BRITAIN.
- 9.15 THE BRAINS TRUST—Chairman: Victor Price.
- 9.45 OLD HONGKONG—Corners of Hongkong history and legend explored. 4. The Story of the Sung Wong Toi, by Prof. Kau Yau Man (Repeat).
- 10.00 THE NEW ENGLISH BIBLE—Reader.
- 10.15 HAS MODERN MUSIC GONE TOO FAR—A discussion introduced by John Amls.
- 10.45 AT THE PIANO—GYORGY CZIFRA—7 Variations in C Major, Op. 189 (On "God Save the King"), Rondo a Capriccio in G Major, Op. 129 ("Rage over a lost penny"), Gyorgy Czifra (Piano).
- 10.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 11.00 TIME SIGNAL (GREENWICH) AND BIG BEN RADIO NEWSREEL.
- 11.15 MOONLIGHT AND STRINGS.
- 11.17 WEATHER REPORT.
- 11.19 NEWS HEADLINES.
- 12.00 MIDDNIGHT TIME SIGNAL, CLOSE DOWN—GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Friday

- 7.00 am TIME SIGNAL, MORNING MUSIC.
- 7.15 NEWS SUMMARY.
- 7.20 MORNING MUSIC—(Cont'd).
- 7.25 DAILY DOZEN—Five minutes of keeping fit to music each morning with Jean Filshie.
- 7.35 MORNING MUSIC.
- 7.43 WEATHER REPORT.
- 7.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 8.00 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
- 8.10 PROGRAMME PARADE.
- 8.15 DIARY FOR TODAY, BREAKFAST BREAK.
- 8.23 WEATHER REPORT.
- 9.00 TIME SIGNAL, NEWS HEADLINES.
- 9.02 HOME TILL TEN.
- 9.15 TIME SIGNAL, RADIO NEWSREEL (Repeat).
- 10.00 MARTY WILDE SINGS.
- 10.30 THE WORLD AROUND US.
- 10.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 11.00 CONCERTO.
- 12.00 Noon MASTER CLASS BY LOTTE LEHMANN—1. Lieder (Wolf), Richard Strauss and Schubert.
- 12.30 pm SHOW BUSINESS—Introduced by Aileen Woods (Repeat).
- 1.00 TIME SIGNAL, DIARY FOR TODAY.
- 1.13 WEATHER REPORT.
- 1.15 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
- 1.20 LETTER FROM AMERICA—By Alistair Cooke (Repeat).
- 1.45 BLACK AND WHITE NOTES.
- 2.00 LONDON CALLING.
- 2.30 MARCHING WITH THE BAND.
- 3.00 WE LIVE AND LEARN—"The Reith Lectures," "The Individual and the Universe," by Prof. A. C. B. Lovell, F.R.S., O.B.E., 4—"Astronomy and the State."
- 3.30 MUSIC FROM CANADA.
- 3.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 4.00 FRIDAY MATINEE—Ocean Junction, the story of the Panama Canal.
- 4.30 THE YOUNG IDEA.
- 5.00 NEWS FROM RADIO AUSTRALIA.
- 5.10 HOMOEROUND BOUND—Music for tired workers.
- 5.30 WEATHER REPORT.
- 6.00 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
- 6.10 THE WEEK'S GOOD CAUSE—An appeal on behalf of the Earl Haig Poppy Day Fund by Air Commander P. C. Donkin.
- 6.15 RACING TIP—By Ron Whitehead.
- 6.30 INTERLUDE FOR MUSIC.
- 6.45 THE ARCHERS.
- 7.00 WEATHER REPORT.
- 7.15 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS, COMMENTARY.
- 7.20 TODAY.
- 7.30 TRAD FAD—By Alan Hare.

- 8.00 THE RETURN OF THE NATIVE—By Thomas Hardy, Ep. 12 (Final).
- 8.30 COME LISTEN WITH ME—With Michael Bulmer.
- 8.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 9.00 TIME SIGNAL (GREENWICH), THE NEWS, NEWS ABOUT BRITAIN.
- 9.15 LIFE WITH THE LYON—With Bebe Daniels and Ben Lyon (New Series).
- 9.45 OLD HONGKONG—Corners of Hongkong history and legend explored. No. 5 "Island's Proper Name" by K. M. A. Barnett.
- 10.00 THE NEW ENGLISH BIBLE—Reader.
- 10.05 INTERLUDE.
- 10.15 KIM BORG (BASS) WITH GERALD MOORE (PIANO) (M-S 66).
- 10.45 SOME TALK OF ALEXANDER—Stephen Alexander talks on "Best Schools" (Repeat).
- 10.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 11.00 TIME SIGNAL, RADIO NEWSREEL.
- 11.15 THE 'M' CORNER—Soothing sounds from Studio 7, with Mitch as your host.
- 11.17 WEATHER REPORT.
- 11.19 NEWS HEADLINES.
- 12.00 MIDDNIGHT TIME SIGNAL, CLOSE DOWN—GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Saturday

- 7.00 am TIME SIGNAL, SATURDAY SERENADE.
- 7.15 NEWS SUMMARY.
- 7.20 SATURDAY SERENADE—(Cont'd).
- 7.30 DAILY DOZEN—Five minutes of keeping fit to music each morning with Jean Filshie.
- 7.35 SATURDAY SERENADE—(Cont'd).
- 7.45 WEATHER REPORT.
- 7.47 SATURDAY SERENADE—(Cont'd).
- 7.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 8.00 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
- 8.10 PROGRAMME PARADE.
- 8.15 DIARY FOR TODAY, SATURDAY SWING.
- 8.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 9.00 TIME SIGNAL, NEWS HEADLINES.
- 9.02 HOME TILL TEN—With Michael Bulmer.
- 10.00 TIME SIGNAL, RADIO NEWSREEL (Repeat).
- 10.15 NELLIE LUTCHER SINGS.
- 10.30 PARIS STAB TIME.
- 10.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 11.00 THE "FROMIS"—The first in a series of seven Henry Wood Promenade Concerts from the 66th (1960) season.
- 12.00 Noon THUD AND BLUNDER—A comedy serial in 8 episodes by John Jowett, with Naughton Wayne, Ep. 7 "Ground Under Repair" (Repeat).
- 12.30 pm CONTRAST.

- 1.00 TIME SIGNAL, DIARY FOR TODAY.
- 1.13 WEATHER REPORT.
- 1.15 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
- 1.30 MUSIC FROM MOVIES—Introduced by Bill Doward.
- 2.00 HOME AND HOSPITAL REQUESTS—Presented by June.
- 2.45 ROYAL VISIT TO KWANG-TUNG HANDICAP—The first big race of the 1961-62 Season, run off at the Hongkong Jockey Club in the presence of her Royal Highness Princess Alexandra. Commentaries by Victor Price and assisted by Ron Whitehead with Michael Bulmer in the podlock.
- 3.15 INTERLUDE.
- 3.30 THE SQUARE ISLAND—(Repeat of Thursday's Broadcast).
- 3.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 4.00 LISTEN TO THIS!—Patricia Penn introduces people in Hongkong who have something to say (Repeat).
- 4.30 SING SOMETHING SIMPLE—The Adam Singers.
- 5.00 NEWS FROM RADIO AUSTRALIA.
- 5.10 TEA DANCE.
- 5.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 6.00 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
- 6.10 COMPOSER'S CAVALCADE—By Aileen Woods.
- 6.40 THE JACKIE ROBINSON SHOW.
- 6.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 7.00 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS.
- 7.09 INTERLUDE.
- 7.15 TODAY—A daily news magazine produced by Michael Page.
- 7.30 FIRST HEARING—By Ray Simpson.
- 8.00 THE ROYAL VISIT—The Military Tattoo—Her Royal Highness, Princess Alexandra sees representatives of the Armed Services in action at the Government Stadium, Orchard Hill. Commentaries by Bill Doward and Victor Price, and recorded interviews by Michael Page with some of these taking part.
- 8.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 9.00 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS, NEWS ABOUT BRITAIN.
- 9.15 LOCAL SPORTS RESULTS.
- 9.20 MUSICAL TOPICS—By Rev. Father Ryan, S.J., "Humour in Music."
- 9.50 OLD HONGKONG—Corners of Hongkong history and legend explored. No. 6 "The Kihlan Monument" by the Rev. Father T. F. Ryan S.J.
- 10.00 THE SPOKEN WORD—Prose and Verse, introduced by Jean Ezra.
- 10.30 NOCTURNE.
- 10.53 WEATHER REPORT.
- 11.00 TIME SIGNAL (GREENWICH), RADIO NEWSREEL.
- 11.15 RACING—The Manchester November Handicap.
- 11.45 SATURDAY NIGHT HOP.
- 11.57 WEATHER REPORT.
- 11.59 NEWS HEADLINES.
- 12.00 MIDDNIGHT TIME SIGNAL, CLOSE DOWN—GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

REDIFFUSION

NEW SHOWS INTRODUCED, OTHERS RESHUFFLED

With the return to Standard Time tomorrow Rediffusion is scheduling many new shows and reshuffling some of the old favourites in anticipation of the long winter evenings.

Among the many new shows are "The Star Show" featuring Ted Heath and his music with guest stars on Mondays at 9 o'clock, "Invitation To The Ballet," scheduled for Wednesdays at 9 o'clock, "True Stories" at 8 o'clock on Wednesdays, and a new series of "Sing It Again," also on Wednesdays at 7.30 pm.

Accordianist Ted Page, who paid Hongkong a short visit recently, recorded a short series of quarter hour shows for broadcast on Thursdays at 7.15 pm. Pamela Johnston will present the first programme of "These We Love," featuring favourite themes at 8.30 pm tomorrow.

For sports fans Jock Sloan will present the first edition of "Sports Forum" on Thursday at 8 o'clock.

Mike Ellery returns with an old favourite "Juke Box" on Thursday at 10 o'clock.

Sunday Evening Listening includes "Rediffusion Opera" presented by Fr. T. F. Ryan at 6.30 pm, "Radio Cinema" at 7.15 pm, and "Stars On Wings" at 8 o'clock.

The fare for Monday evening includes "Treasure Hunt" at 7.30 pm, "Music By Mantovani" at 8 o'clock, and "A Many Splendoured Thing" at 8.30 pm.

The Hongkong Hit Parade takes over the 7.30 pm spot on Tuesdays, and the "Sounds Of Time" and Music By Glancarlo and his Italian Combo will be heard at 8.30 pm and 9 o'clock.

"Beyond Our Ken" will be broadcast on Fridays at 7.30 pm. This will be followed by "Thirty-To-One" at 8 o'clock and "Thirty Minute Theatre" at 8.30 pm. "Movie Magazine" follows "Thirty Minute Theatre" at 9 o'clock.

"Prodigal Father," a serial on the life of playwright Rene La-bouche, has been scheduled for 9.30 am, Monday through Friday. This will be followed by the regular "Morning Matinee" at 9.45 am.

The "Voice of Sport" "Rediffusion Byline" and "Track Talk"

will be broadcast at 6.45 pm on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Today

- 11.30 am DR BRADLEY REMEMBERS.
- 12.00 Noon. THE JOHNNY BOND SHOW.
- 1.00 pm DIARY FOR TODAY.
- 1.15 NEWS AND WEATHER REPORT.
- 1.30 PROGRAMME SUMMARY.
- 1.35 NATHANIEL SHILKRET AND HIS ORCHESTRA.
- 2.00 SATURDAY TELEPHONE REQUESTS.
- 3.00 YOUR SATURDAY DATE WITH MUSIC.
- 4.00 LAWRENCE WELK AND HIS ORCHESTRA.
- 4.30 DAMON RUNYON THEATRE "TIGHT SHOES."
- 5.00 THE 101 STRINGS.
- 5.30 BBC JAZZ CLUB.
- 6.00 THE PAT BOONE SHOW.
- 7.00 FOLK SONGS AROUND THE WORLD.
- 7.30 LATIN QUARTER.
- 8.00 BBC NEWS.
- 8.05 WEATHER FORECAST.
- 8.10 ANNOUNCEMENTS AND INTERLUDE.
- 8.15 THE BING CROSBY ROSEMARY CLOONEY SHOW.
- 8.30 STRICTLY PRIVATE.
- 8.50 THE SHIRO HIT PARADE.
- 9.30 TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES.
- 9.35 MUSIC FROM MAXIMS.
- 10.05 THE JIM AMECHE SATURDAY NIGHT SHOW.
- 11.00 STOP PRESS.
- 11.05 THE JIM AMECHE SATURDAY NIGHT SHOW (Cont'd).
- 12.00 MIDDNIGHT "GOD SAVE THE QUEEN"—Close Down.

Sunday

- 7.00 am SUNDAY SERENADE.
- 8.00 DIXIE A.M.
- 8.30 CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST.
- 9.00 NEWS, SPORTS RESULTS & WEATHER FORECAST.
- 9.10 PROGRAMME SUMMARY, AT THE PIANO.
- 9.30 FORCES FAVOURITES.
- 10.30 BEYOND OUR KEN (Repeat).
- 11.00 MOVIE MAGAZINE (Repeat).
- 11.30 YOU AND YOUR PETS.
- 11.35 CONCERT MASTERS.
- 12.00 Noon. SECOND SPRING.
- 12.40 pm PROGRAMME SUMMARY.
- 12.45 THE TEEN SCENE (Repeat).
- 1.15 NEWS AND SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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- 1.30 THE SOUNDS OF TIME (Repeat).
- 2.00 THE JIM AMECHE SHOW.
- 3.00 SUNDAY CONCERT — Henry Wood Promenade Concert (Mozart and Bartok).
- 4.00 TEA DANCE.
- 4.30 POT POURRI.
- 4.50 FOOTBALL COMMENTARY — Commentator: Jack Sloan. Kitchee v Five-one-seven.
- 5.40 ALBUM OF WALTZES.
- 6.00 YOU'VE ASKED FOR IT.
- 6.30 REDIFFUSION OF P.E.R.A. — Presented by Fr. T. F. Ryan, S.J. "The Merry Wives Of Windsor" (Nicolai) Act 2.
- 7.00 BBC NEWS.
- 7.05 WEATHER FORECAST.
- 7.10 ANNOUNCEMENTS & INTERLUDE.
- 7.15 RADIO CINEMA.
- 8.00 STARS ON WINGS — Compere: Neville Powley.
- 8.30 THESE WE LOVE — Favourite Themes Presented by Pamela Johnston.
- 9.00 SING SOMETHING SIMPLE.
- 9.30 TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES.
- 9.35 LIFE WITH THE LYONS.
- 10.05 CLASSICS IN HI-FI.
- 11.00 STOP PRESS.
- 11.05 A DATE IN DREAMLAND.
- 12.00 Midnight "GOD SAVE THE QUEEN" — Close Down.

Monday

- 7.00 am MUSICAL CLOCK.
- 7.15 NEWS SUMMARY.
- 7.20 MUSICAL CLOCK (Cont'd).
- 8.00 NEWS AND WEATHER FORECAST.
- 8.10 BREAKFAST SESSION.
- 9.00 NEWS HEADLINES.
- 9.02 BEAUTY THAT ENDURES (Repeat).
- 9.30 PRODIGAL FATHER.
- 9.45 MORNING MATINEE.
- 10.30 SECOND SPRING.
- 10.43 PROGRAMME SUMMARY.
- 10.45 MAKE WAY FOR YOUTH (Repeat).
- 11.00 COFFEE TIME.
- 11.30 TOMORROW IS MINE.
- 11.45 RECITAL.
- 12.00 Noon GIANCARLO AND HIS ITALIAN COMBO.
- 12.30 pm LOCAL GOLD RATE.
- 1.00 MUSIC BY MELACHIRINO.
- 1.15 DIARY FOR TODAY.
- 1.15 NEWS AND WEATHER REPORT.
- 1.30 ODYSSEY TO EUROPE — (Repeat).
- 2.00 MELODY TIME — Light Music.
- 3.30 JASIN STREET.
- 4.30 CHILDREN'S CORNER.
- 5.00 TEA DANCE.
- 5.25 PROGRAMME SUMMARY.
- 5.30 MONDAY REQUESTS.
- 6.00 ANYTHING GOES.
- 6.45 VOICE OF SPORT — News & Views Of The Colony's Sports & Sportsmen.
- 7.00 BBC NEWS.
- 7.05 WEATHER FORECAST.
- 7.10 "STRANGE TALES FROM DOWN UNDER."
- 7.15 RADIO DOCTOR "RED EYES."
- 7.20 ANNOUNCEMENTS AND INTERLUDE.
- 7.30 TREASURE HUNT.
- 8.00 MUSIC BY MANTOVANI.
- 8.30 A MANY SPLENDOROUS THING.
- 9.00 THE STAR SHOW.
- 9.30 TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES.
- 9.35 CONSIDER YOUR VERDICT.
- 10.00 SWEET WITH A BEAT.
- 11.00 STOP PRESS.
- 11.05 A DATE IN DREAMLAND.
- 12.00 Midnight "GOD SAVE THE QUEEN" — Close Down.

Tuesday

- 7.00 am MUSICAL CLOCK.
- 7.15 NEWS SUMMARY.
- 7.20 MUSICAL CLOCK (Cont'd).
- 8.00 NEWS AND WEATHER FORECAST.
- 8.10 BREAKFAST SESSION.
- 9.00 NEWS HEADLINES.
- 9.02 REMEMBER THESE?
- 9.30 PRODIGAL FATHER.
- 9.45 MORNING MATINEE.
- 10.30 SECOND SPRING.
- 10.45 SONGS BY THE SAMPLERS.
- 11.00 COFFEE TIME.
- 11.30 TOMORROW IS MINE.
- 11.45 RECITAL.
- 12.00 Noon PROGRESSIVE JAZZ.
- 12.30 pm LOCAL GOLD RATE.
- 1.00 SERENADE IN RHYTHM.
- 1.15 DIARY FOR TODAY.
- 1.15 NEWS AND WEATHER REPORT.
- 1.30 DO YOU REMEMBER?
- 2.00 MELODY TIME.
- 2.30 JASIN STREET.
- 4.30 CHILDREN'S CORNER — Presented by Auntie Dee.
- 5.00 TEA DANCE.
- 5.25 PROGRAMME SUMMARY.
- 5.30 TUESDAY REQUESTS.
- 6.00 THE PAT BOONE SHOW.
- 7.00 BBC NEWS.
- 7.05 WEATHER FORECAST.
- 7.10 ANNOUNCEMENTS & INTERLUDE.
- 7.15 CONCERT IN MINIATURE.
- 7.30 YOUR HONGKONG PARADE.
- 8.00 LIGHT MUSIC.
- 8.10 THE ROYAL VISIT — Her Royal Highness Princess Alexandra attends a dinner by representatives of the Chinese Community at the Cafe De Chine.
- 8.30 THE SOUNDS OF TIME — Prog. 5 "The War Years."
- 9.00 GIANCARLO AND HIS ITALIAN COMBO.
- 9.30 TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES.
- 9.35 CONSIDER YOUR VERDICT.
- 10.00 THE JIM AMECHE SHOW.
- 11.00 STOP PRESS.
- 11.05 A DATE IN DREAMLAND.
- 12.00 Midnight "GOD SAVE THE QUEEN" — Close Down.

Wednesday

- 7.00 am MUSICAL CLOCK.
- 7.15 NEWS SUMMARY.
- 7.20 MUSICAL CLOCK (Cont'd).
- 8.00 NEWS AND WEATHER FORECAST.
- 8.10 BREAKFAST SESSION.
- 9.00 NEWS HEADLINES.

- 9.02 HOSPITAL REQUESTS.
- 9.30 PRODIGAL FATHER.
- 9.45 MORNING MATINEE.
- 10.30 SECOND SPRING.
- 10.43 PROGRAMME SUMMARY.
- 10.45 MARIO LANZA.
- 11.00 COFFEE TIME.
- 11.30 TOMORROW IS MINE.
- 11.45 RECITAL.
- 12.00 Noon LIFE WITH THE LYONS (Repeat).
- 12.30 pm LOCAL GOLD RATE.
- 1.00 ALFREDO ANTONINI AND HIS ORCHESTRA.
- 1.15 DIARY FOR TODAY.
- 1.15 NEWS AND WEATHER FORECAST.
- 1.30 LUNCHEON CLUB.
- 2.00 MELODY TIME.
- 2.35 THE ROYAL VISIT — Youth Festival. Her Royal Highness Princess Alexandra visits the Hongkong Football Club stadium to see a display by the Youth Of Hongkong.
- 4.30 CHILDREN'S CORNER.
- 5.00 TEA DANCE.
- 5.25 PROGRAMME SUMMARY.
- 5.30 SEK KONG REQUESTS.
- 6.00 ANYTHING GOES.
- 6.45 REDIFFUSION BYLINE.
- 7.00 BBC NEWS.
- 7.05 WEATHER FORECAST.
- 7.10 ANNOUNCEMENTS & INTERLUDE.
- 7.15 MUSIC FROM HOLI AND.
- 7.30 SING IT AGAIN.
- 8.00 TRUE STORIES — "The Thirtieth Hour" by Stephen Grenfell.
- 8.30 DIAMOND MUSIC SHOW.
- 9.00 INVITATION TO THE BALLET.
- 9.30 TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES.
- 9.35 CONSIDER YOUR VERDICT.
- 10.00 MOONLIGHT SERENADE.
- 11.05 A DATE IN DREAMLAND.
- 12.00 Midnight "GOD SAVE THE QUEEN" — Close Down.

Thursday

- 7.00 am MUSICAL CLOCK.
- 7.15 NEWS SUMMARY.
- 7.20 MUSICAL CLOCK (Cont'd).
- 8.00 NEWS AND WEATHER FORECAST.
- 8.10 BREAKFAST SESSION.
- 9.00 NEWS HEADLINES.
- 9.02 BBC HANDSTAND.
- 9.30 PRODIGAL FATHER.
- 9.45 MORNING MATINEE — With Maureen Seymour.
- 10.30 SECOND SPRING.
- 10.43 PROGRAMME SUMMARY.
- 10.45 DEAN MARTIN.
- 11.00 COFFEE TIME.
- 11.30 TOMORROW IS MINE.
- 11.45 RECITAL.
- 12.00 Noon THE STAR SHOW (Repeat).
- 12.30 pm LOCAL GOLD RATE.
- 1.00 TREASURE HUNT (Repeat).
- 1.15 DIARY FOR TODAY.
- 1.15 NEWS AND WEATHER REPORT.
- 1.30 MODERN JAZZ.
- 2.00 MELODY TIME.

TELEVISION

'IT ALWAYS RAINS ON SUNDAY' AND 'MR LUCKY'

A romantic comedy fills this afternoon's film spot at 3.20 when Cary Grant stars with Lorraine Day in Mr Lucky.

The story centres round a professional gambler who seeks to raise a fresh bank roll by operating games of chance at a society bazaar.

Charles Bickford, Gladys Cooper and Paul Stewart co-star. Later at 8.10 there's the opportunity to meet Bret Maverick again in this week's story "Ghost Rider" when James Garner co-stars with attractive Joanna Barnes. Also in the cast list is Ed Byrne, popular personality from Friday's 77 Sunset Strip series.

Sunday's film "It Always Rains On Sunday" has its setting in the east end of London, and shows how the lives of a small cross section of the community are affected by the return of a former resident, now on the run from Dartmoor. Directed by Ronald Hamer the film stars Google Withers, Jack Warner, and John McCallum.

Tuesday's Celebrity Golf match sees Ray Milland as Sam Sneed's opponent. Milland, a 14-handicapper, gets a seven-stroke advantage for this nine-hole match. Later in the evening at 11 o'clock Dan Farson talks to Viscountess Lewisham, a London County Councillor and an unusual type of public figure. Also in the programme are other members of this remarkable family, her grandmother, Mrs Polly Cartland and her mother Mrs McCorquodale, better known as novelist Barbara Cartland.

Wednesday's Conflict story "Execution Night" examines the plight of an ex-politician who flees America to avoid an investigation committee and the problems — mental, physical and political — that face him when he tries to return. Edmund Lowe plays the part of the politician, and lovely screen star Virginia Mayo can be seen as his daughter.

The Forum panel at 9.15, this week comprises Ieuan Hughes, Dean Barry Till, Richard Mar-

- 3.30 JASIN STREET.
- 4.30 CHILDREN'S CORNER.
- 5.00 TEA DANCE.
- 5.25 PROGRAMME SUMMARY.
- 5.30 THURSDAY REQUESTS.
- 6.00 THE PAT BOONE SHOW.
- 7.00 BBC NEWS.
- 7.05 WEATHER FORECAST.
- 7.10 ANNOUNCEMENTS & INTERLUDE.
- 7.15 RELAX AND LISTEN — With Ted Page.
- 7.30 THE TEEN SCENE.
- 8.00 SPORTS FORUM.
- 8.30 THE JIM AMECHE SHOW.
- 9.00 BEAUTY THAT ENDURES.
- 9.30 TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES.
- 9.35 CONSIDER YOUR VERDICT.
- 10.00 JUNE BOX.
- 11.00 STOP PRESS.
- 11.05 A DATE IN DREAMLAND.
- 12.00 Midnight "GOD SAVE THE QUEEN" — Close Down.

Friday

- 7.00 am MUSICAL CLOCK.
- 7.15 NEWS SUMMARY.
- 7.20 MUSICAL CLOCK (Cont'd).
- 8.00 NEWS AND WEATHER FORECAST.
- 8.10 BREAKFAST SESSION.
- 9.00 NEWS HEADLINES.
- 9.02 STARS ON WINGS (Repeat).
- 9.30 PRODIGAL FATHER.
- 9.45 MORNING MATINEE.
- 10.30 SECOND SPRING.
- 10.43 PROGRAMME SUMMARY.
- 10.45 NAT KING COLE.
- 11.00 COFFEE TIME.
- 11.30 TOMORROW IS MINE.
- 11.45 RECITAL.
- 12.00 Noon SING SOMETHING SIMPLE (Repeat).
- 12.30 pm LOCAL GOLD RATE.
- 1.00 MARCHING AND WALTZING.
- 1.15 DIARY FOR TODAY.
- 1.15 NEWS AND WEATHER REPORT.
- 1.30 LETTER FROM AMERICA.
- 1.45 FASCINATING RHYTHM.
- 2.00 MELODY TIME.
- 3.30 JASIN STREET.
- 4.30 CHILDREN'S CORNER.
- 5.00 TEA DANCE.
- 5.25 PROGRAMME SUMMARY.
- 5.30 FRIDAY REQUESTS.
- 6.00 ANYTHING GOES.
- 6.45 TRACK TALK — Tips for tomorrow's Races.
- 7.00 BBC NEWS.
- 7.05 WEATHER FORECAST.
- 7.10 ANNOUNCEMENTS & INTERLUDE.
- 7.15 EVENING STAB.
- 7.30 BEYOND OUR KEN.
- 8.00 THIRTY TO ONE.
- 8.30 THIRTY MINUTE THEATRE.
- 9.00 MOVIE MAGAZINE.
- 9.30 TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES.
- 9.35 CONSIDER YOUR VERDICT.
- 10.00 MUSIC TIME.
- 10.45 WALTER GEISERING PLAYS MOZART.
- 11.00 STOP PRESS.
- 11.05 A DATE IN DREAMLAND.
- 12.00 Midnight "GOD SAVE THE QUEEN" — Close Down.

Today

- 2.00 pm CANTONESE FEATURE.
- 3.20 SATURDAY MATINEE PRESENTS "MR LUCKY" — Starring Cary Grant.
- 5.00 FOUR FEATHER FALLS.
- 5.15 THE BENGAL LANCERS.
- 5.35 "PICK-A-PAIR" — A new quiz programme introduced by Richard Marquand.
- 6.00 THE NEWS HEADLINES — (In Cantonese).
- 6.05 "FLIGHT" FEATURE "ESCAPE".
- 6.30 NEWSREEL ROUND-UP.
- 7.00 KICKLEBERRY ROUND.
- 7.25 IN THE KITCHEN — Cookery Demonstration by Ann Lett.
- 7.40 THE WEATHER FORECAST.
- 7.45 "SILENT PLEASE" PRESENTS "TEMPEST".
- 8.10 MAVERICK PRESENTS "GHOST RIDER".
- 9.00 THE NEWS HEADLINES — (In English).
- 9.05 THE PHILIP SILVER SHOW.
- 9.30 "ONE STEP BEYOND".
- 9.55 MICHAEL SHAYNE.
- 10.45 THE LAWLESS YEARS.
- 11.10 LATE NIGHT FINAL.

Sunday

- 2.00 pm CANTONESE FEATURE.
- 3.30 THE LORETTA YOUNG SHOW.
- 3.55 THE DENNIS O'KEEFE SHOW.
- 4.20 "HUDSON'S BAY".
- 4.45 THE JIMMY DEMARET GOLF SHOW — Features "Trick Shots".
- 5.00 HOPALONG CASSIDY.
- 6.00 THE NEWS — (In Cantonese).
- 6.10 THE ARMY GAME.
- 6.35 "WHAT DO YOU KNOW?" — An inter-schools quiz, 5th match of the first round, between King George V School and Ying Wah College.
- 7.00 THE TROUBLE SHOOTERS.
- 7.25 THE WEATHER FORECAST.
- 7.30 THE TAB HUNTER SHOW.
- 7.55 "KEYBOARD".
- 8.10 HAWAIIAN EYE.
- 9.00 THE NEWS — (In English).
- 9.15 "EXPEDITION" — Which this week features "Survivors of the Ice Age".
- 9.45 A BANK ORGANISATION FEATURE — It always Rains on Sunday.
- 11.15 LATE NIGHT FINAL.

Monday

- 5.00 pm "A TO ZOO".
- 5.25 CARTOONS.
- 5.35 THE ADVENTURES OF ROBIN HOOD.
- 6.00 THE NEWS — (In English).
- 6.15 BRONCO.
- 7.05 THE RIGHT WORD — (Conversational English) presented by Thomas Dunn.
- 7.35 THE WEATHER FORECAST.
- 7.40 THE SONG PARADE — Introduced by John Bow.
- 8.05 CHINESE CHESS — Presented by Lee Chee Hoi.
- 8.20 MOVIE MAGAZINE — Introduced by John Bow.
- 8.45 COUNTRY STORE — (Cantonese).
- 9.00 THE NEWS — (In Cantonese).
- 9.15 CANTONESE FEATURE.
- 11.00 LATE NIGHT FINAL.

Tuesday

- 5.00 pm TIME FOR TOTS.
- 5.10 BOOTS & SADDLES.
- 5.35 THE ADVENTURES OF SIR LANCELOT.
- 6.00 THE NEWS — (In Cantonese).
- 6.10 THE VIKINGS.
- 6.35 "NEI HO MA" — (Conversational Cantonese) Presented by Joseph Lau.
- 7.05 CHEZ LES DUPEE — (Conversational French).
- 7.15 CELEBRITY GOLF — When Sam Sneed plays "Ray Milland".
- 7.40 THE WEATHER FORECAST.
- 7.45 THE ANIMAL STORY.
- 8.15 THE JIM BACKUS SHOW.
- 8.35 "R.C.M.P."
- 9.00 THE NEWS — (In English).
- 9.15 THE ROARING TWENTIES.
- 10.10 THE DEPUTY.
- 10.35 "PANIC" — Presents "Patrol".
- 11.00 "SUCCESS STORY".
- 11.15 LATE NIGHT FINAL.

Wednesday

- 5.00 pm CHINESE CHILDREN'S TALENT SHOW.
- 5.10 ANNIE OAKLEY.
- 5.35 THE THREE MUSKETEERS.
- 6.00 THE NEWS — (In Cantonese).
- 6.10 ONE HAPPY FAMILY.

COMMERCIAL RADIO 1530 kcs 196 mtrs
NEW PROGRAMMES
AND NEW TIMES

With the reversion to Standard Time we have several new programmes starting and a few time changes for some of the established shows.

The clocks change on Sunday and a new show starts the same morning. For the last few weeks Kit Masters has been asking to hear from listeners to his Housewives' Choice (Monday-Saturday 9-10 am) who would like him to visit them with a recorder in their homes. The response has been most encouraging and the first three families who wrote in can be heard in this first programme. Kit Masters is "Calling on You" from 11 to 11.30.

It has always been the custom for sports programmes to be on a Saturday night, but in Hongkong there is so much sporting activity on Sundays that the week's sport is not completely covered and the Sunday fixtures are history by the following Saturday. To give a complete weekend coverage Bill Williams' sports programme changes to 7.30 on Sunday night, when he — with the assistance of Chris Batchelor — will bring information about sport here and overseas in Sports News.

Monday evening sees the innovation of a different approach to Serious Music programming. The two most vociferous sections of the community are the teenagers and the serious music lovers and previously the former have more convenient programming in that Hit Parade music has been broadcast at about the same time each evening, whereas the serious music lover has had to look through the papers to find the times of the concerts. We hope to render them the same service as the younger set in Symphony Hall. This programme can be heard from Monday to Friday at 9.30 in the evening and will be introduced by Dick Halvorsen.

On Tuesday we relay from Radio Hongkong the speeches given by Sir S. N. Chau and Princess Alexandra at the dinner given in her honour by the Chinese Community and at 8.30 John Wallace invites you to Ask for a Laugh, the first of a series of comedy request programmes. Another programme by the vocal and instrumental group Los Desperados takes the air on Wednesday at 7.30. At 8 o'clock on Thursday evening we are broadcasting highlights from the Military Tattoo which is taking place at the Government

- 6.35 GENERAL READING — Presented by Tom Cross.
- 7.05 CHEZ LES DUPEE — (Conversational French).
- 7.15 THE MICHAELS IN AFRICA.
- 7.40 THE WEATHER FORECAST.
- 7.45 "WELLS FARGO".
- 8.10 "CONFLICT".
- 9.00 THE NEWS — (In English).
- 9.15 FORUM — Dean Barry Till, Ieuan Hughes and Richard Marquand meet this week to discuss books, films and exhibitions new to the Colony, under the Chairmanship of Michael Page.
- 9.45 CANTONESE FEATURE.
- 11.30 LATE NIGHT FINAL.

Thursday

- 5.00 pm CHINESE CHILDREN'S STORY TIME.
- 5.10 SHARI LEWIS & HER FRIENDS.
- 5.35 PONY EXPRESS.
- 6.00 THE NEWS — (In Cantonese).
- 6.10 NATIONAL VELVET.
- 6.35 SCIENCE IN ACTION.
- 7.00 CHEZ LES DUPEE — (Conversational French).
- 7.15 THE SILENT SERVICE.
- 7.40 THE WEATHER FORECAST.
- 7.45 THE RED SKELTON SHOW.
- 8.15 "JAZZ U.S.A."
- 8.35 MAN WITH A CAMERA.
- 9.00 THE NEWS — (In English).
- 9.15 LARAMIE.
- 10.05 PHILIP MARLOWE.
- 10.30 MEDIC.
- 11.00 LATE NIGHT FINAL.

Friday

- 5.00 pm SONGS FOR YOUNG FOLK — Presented by Patti Duncan.
- 5.10 HAWKEYE AND THE LAST OF THE MOHICANS.
- 5.35 THE WHIRLWINDS.
- 6.00 THE NEWS — (In Cantonese).
- 6.10 CANTONESE FEATURE.
- 7.40 THE WEATHER FORECAST.
- 7.45 OUR MISS BROOKS.
- 8.10 FOOD ASKED FOR IT.
- 8.35 "BOYD Q.C."
- 9.00 THE NEWS — (In English).
- 9.15 MR ADAMS & EVE.
- 9.40 77 SUNSET STRIP.
- 10.30 PETER GUNN.
- 11.00 LATE NIGHT FINAL.

Today

- 11.30 am SOUTH OF THE BORDER.
- 12.00 Noon LUNCHTIME RENDEZVOUS.
- 1.15 pm NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
- 1.30 LUNCHTIME RENDEZVOUS — Cont.
- 2.00 BIRELEY'S OPEN HOUSE.
- 4.00 JUNE BOX JURY.
- 4.30 CONCERT BY THE BOSTON POPS.
- 5.00 CONTINENTAL ENCORES.
- 5.30 AROUND THE CRACKER BARREL.
- 6.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG.
- 6.10 MAN ABOUT TOWN, MARK MURPHY.
- 6.30 THE ORCHESTRAS OF WERNER MULLER AND DAVID CARROL.
- 6.55 NEWS HEADLINES.
- 7.00 JOHN WALLACE WITH DIAMOND TIME.
- 8.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
- 8.15 LOU SNYDER PLAYS.
- 8.30 THE MISTAKES THEY MADE — Programme 7, "Careful with the Body".
- 9.00 NEWS HEADLINES — String Serenade.
- 9.30 A BRITISH INTERLUDE.
- 10.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG AND WEATHER REPORT.
- 10.15 MUSIC BY RAY MARTIN.
- 10.30 GREEN SPOT SWINGS THE SPOTLIGHT ON THE STARS.
- 11.00 BBC RADIO NEWSREEL.
- 11.15 GREEN SPOT SWINGS THE SPOTLIGHT ON THE STARS.
- 12.00 Midnight NEWS HEADLINES, WEATHER REPORT — Close Down.

Sunday

- 7.00 am MUSIC FOR WAKING UP.
- 9.00 NEWS RELAY FROM RADIO HONGKONG & WEATHER REPORT.
- 9.15 THE VOICE OF PERRY COMO.
- 9.30 SUNDAY STRINGS.
- 10.00 "FOURS FOR THE ASKING."
- 11.00 "CALLING ON YOU."
- 11.30 PIANO INTERLUDE.
- 11.45 VIOLETTA RECITAL — By Nathan Milstein.

The scar I'll never try to hide



FOR THE FIRST TIME
ELIZABETH TAYLOR TALKS
ABOUT 'MY BADGE OF LIFE'



Framed in the arm of director Mankiewicz... 'a girl of primitive talent'
by DAVID LEWIN

ELIZABETH TAYLOR made her triumphant entry into Rome on October 17 as Cleopatra.

She rode on a 30ft-high sphinx drawn by 300 slaves and escorted by a procession of 2,000 assorted soldiers, 210 dancers, 18 dwarfs mounted on donkeys painted as zebras, six white elephants marching in step, and a troupe of imported elephants. The sphinx between whose paws Miss Taylor sat was fitted

with a safety belt to stop her falling out. And so "Cleopatra," the film on which £2,000,000 was spent and written off before the cameras finally started to turn, is not lost in production.

Near death

Nine months ago Elizabeth Taylor lay cruelly close to death in a London nursing home while a slit was cut in her throat to insert a tube which enabled her to continue breathing.

Today, Miss Taylor is back at work, fit and even more beautiful. But with a scar nearly 2in long near her wind-pipe which she refuses to hide.

There are few women in the world and even fewer film stars who would take such a bold decision. I talked to her about it and momentarily her hand went up to touch her throat.

Then she said: "Why should I hide it? This scar is my badge of life. I wear it with pride because it reminds me of the time my life was saved."

"In a sense I am living now on borrowed time... time that would have been denied me but for that operation."

"I cannot say that I enjoy life more fully now because I always lived life to the full. But now I find deeper tones and shades in living. I appreciate things like just seeing and hearing—and yes, breathing too—far more."

"The experience I had was painful. But beautiful too. Can you understand that word 'beautiful'? It was like childbirth: painful but so beautiful."

"She turned towards her husband Eddie Fisher and smiled. He said: 'We couldn't care less if the scar shows or not. I like it.'"

Everything that 20th Century Fox's money can buy has now been assembled. "Cleopatra" (official film code number—production J33) a success. Rex Harrison is here to play Caesar. Richard Burton is on hand to act Antony.

The Egyptian city of Alexandria has been built near Anzio and the Forum of Rome has been put up on such a scale that Richard Burton says "It is bigger than the whole of my village in Wales."

Scrapped

At the moment only a completed script is lacking since all previous versions have been scrapped by the director Joe Mankiewicz, who is writing the new version himself.

"I'm just about a week ahead of the actors," he said. "But at least I know where I'm going to end. With Cleopatra dying in her tomb and Antony dying in her arms after being carried there by her hand-maidens."

"That's not Hollywood corn, but historical fact."

Mr Mankiewicz's method with this film became apparent during the rehearsal of that big procession. The 200 slaves came on tugging away at the Sphinx and being lashed as they went by slave drivers with long whips.

Mankiewicz yelled through a microphone: "Fire those slave drivers. Get them off the set. I don't want any of these clichés in my film."

"Not here," said Mr Mankiewicz, and they caught the first train back to town.

Pleasure

At night Miss Taylor goes back to Rome in one of her two cars: a Cadillac for studio business and a Rolls for private pleasure.

As befits the only real star left in the world today (and the only woman ever to be paid 1,000,000 dollars to act in a film), she lives in certain de-



The scar on the neck of Cleopatra... Elizabeth Taylor's symbol of survival

tached comfort. She has a seven bedroomed villa near the old Appian Way with six bathrooms, a swimming pool (natural) and a staff consisting of a Greek chef, a French butler, an English valet (for Mr Fisher), a governess for her three children, and five servants.

"It is," said Miss Taylor simply, "the only home Eddie and I have lived in since we were married. All the rest of

the time we have been in hotels. It is home for the next six months—if you can call a rented house a home."

Primitive

In her attitude to her work, Miss Taylor is utterly serious. Director Mankiewicz, who made her most sensitively dramatic film, "Suddenly Last Summer," said: "She is a girl

of primitive talent who is in dead earnest about Cleopatra."

"Usually she is a bit off-hand about the parts she has to play. Not now. She has a new maturity after her operation and she sees this film as a challenge."

"With Rex Harrison and Richard Burton around, she is faced with an acting Wimbledon in which every scene is a final." The procession which started that day will have gone on being filmed the next week. It also

brought all three stars together on set for the first time.

Richard Burton looked at the Forum full of 6,000 extras and turned to Elizabeth Taylor. He said: "After all this you'll never be able to make an entrance in a film through a door. How do you top 300 slaves and a sphinx?"

(London Express Service).



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CASINO CAUGHT FOR £600,000—BY BOUNCING CHEQUES

Paris. THE Monte Carlo casino (which heaven preserve) has suffered an unusually tough financial blow this season.

On top of the losses suffered as a result of many highly successful gambling coups the casino has had to take unprec-

ed losses in the matter of bounced cheques.

Those losses are, of course, legally irretrievable. The sum involved owing to dud cheques is, it is understood, in the region of £600,000.

No casino in France has ever suffered anything like such losses incurred in such a way. The reason is that the casinos usually take the greatest pains in acquiring a full knowledge of their important clients before advancing them large sums of money.

What has happened to Monte Carlo casino has now produced

a revolution—or rather a counter revolution—in its administration.

This summer's losses are considered to be attributable to the inexperience of some of the personnel and a lack of a searching knowledge of some of the new rich who are flooding into Monte Carlo.

The result is that Monte Carlo casino has now recalled to duty its veteran director, Maitre de Jeux, 72-year-old Henri Pontier, who retired two years ago.

Classic

M. Pontier has a classic casino memory and a minute knowledge of the casino's international clientele, especially the Italians and Latin Americans.

It used to be said that a millionaire was not a millionaire until he had been cleaned by M. Pontier.

Owing to his age M. Pontier feels himself unable to undertake his former post but he has agreed to help the casino in a supervisory role.

He will keep an eye on things two evenings a week.

To find a new Maitre de Jeux the casino has been forced to recall another veteran also equipped with an X-ray financial eye.

He is M. Terrence Cairacchi, who also left Monte Carlo casino two years ago owing to disagreements with the management.

APPLAUSE

That famous zoologist John Aspinall paid a visit to Vincennes Zoo, near Paris, this week and noted some interesting divergences between French and British behaviour at zoos.

At Vincennes, Mr Aspinall began by feeding 100 franc silver pieces to the ostriches—an act which won him great applause.

Disarray mounted, however, when he began stuffing 1,000 franc notes and then 5,000-franc notes into the birds. When he started on 10,000 franc notes tension mounted to such a point

that some people were calling to the police and others were threatening to lynch him. He had to be hastily hurried away. His experiences related to the different reactions between British and French audiences to animal exhibitions. In Britain women and children are hustled away until finally only the hard-faced zoo attendants are left standing before the cages. In France, however, Aspinall notes the crowds are there before these cages; and children are propelled to be given a better view.

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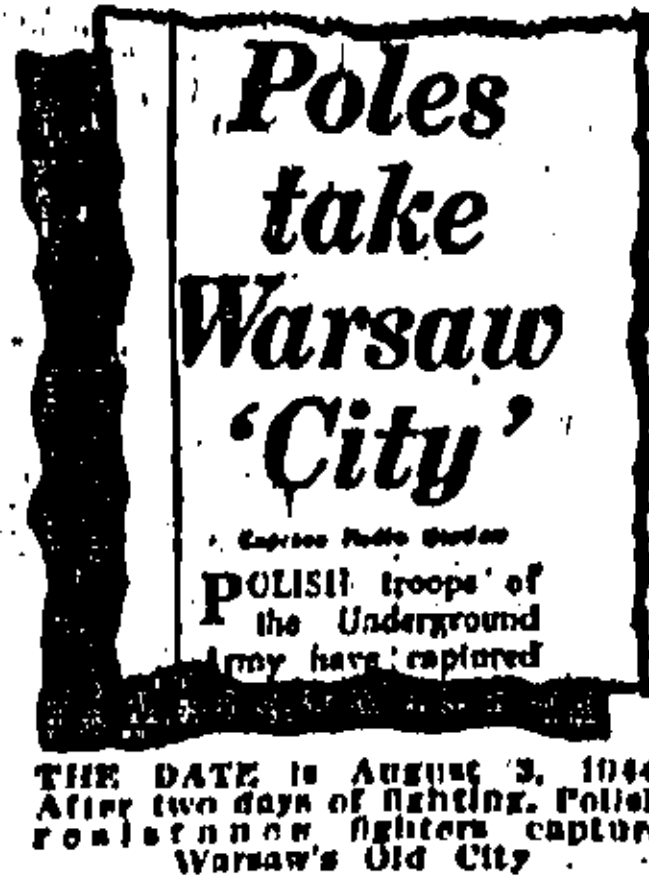
At this moment when so many stones are being thrown at France from so many glass houses and Algerian Moslem riots threaten to become a nightly occurrence in Paris three points are worth bearing in mind.

1—Despite its size in the hideously overcrowded Paris area—it numbers about 150,000—and despite its reckless terrorism, the Moslem population has never been a victim of civilian mob violence.

2—Not a single trade union has ever objected to according full trade union rights to Moslem emigrants.

3—No political party has ever asked for a restriction in Algerian Moslem immigration into France.

Incidental Intelligence. Notice in a Paris restaurant: "We cannot accept responsibility for articles which are lost or deteriorate here." (London Express Service).



WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

EXILED—BY THE LAND HE FOUGHT TO FREE

THERE was no need to ask if I had come to the right address. The man who answered my knock on the front door of his London suburban home was still every inch the career soldier.

Years in retirement had done nothing to bow the erect military bearing. The moustache was clipped with parade-ground precision. The green-brown eyes were as alert as a sniper's. The bald dome of the skull might have been polished by a diligent batman.

As he led me into his living-room, past the faded prints of the Heavy Brigade at Crimea and Napoleon's review of troops, I found myself looking for qualities other than those directly obvious.

I was looking for that strange, almost indefinable quality that lifts a man from his fellows and makes him a leader of men.

It is that quality that inspires others to impossible courage and allows them to die happy in the knowledge that they have obeyed his orders.

For such a man is General Tadeusz Bor-Komorowski.

It is 17 years since General Bor-Komorowski wrote his page in the history of the world. A bloody page it was.

'To arms!'

In July 1944 the tide of battle had turned against Hitler. Everywhere the once arrogant men of the Wehrmacht were in retreat. The thugs who had jackbooted their way across Europe were re-tracing their steps.

The Red Army was at the gates of Warsaw. To the men and women of that city, many of whom had seen their closest relatives dragged away to the gas ovens, it seemed as if the hour of liberation must at last be at hand.

The problem facing General Bor-Komorowski, Commander of the Polish resistance movement—an incredibly brave force of some 40,000 men and 4,000 women—was whether this was the time to strike. He had no doubt that it was.

The Russian radio was loud with appeals to the citizens of Warsaw to also liberate themselves. One such appeal, signed by Molotov, cried: "Poles to arms... There is not a moment to lose."

It is well to remember these appeals, for later the Russians were to claim that the rising was premature.

Certainly it is true to say that consultation with the Russians was well-nigh impossible.

by
LLEW GARDNER



General Bor-Komorowski with his wife and son Adam, 18.

Stalin had broken off relations with the Polish exiles in London after they had demanded a Red Cross investigation of the mass graves of Polish officers murdered, many thought, by the Russians in the Katyn Forest in 1940.

At 5 pm on August 1, 1944, the resistance movement—known in Poland as the Home Army—rose at General Bor-Komorowski's command against the Nazi oppressors. Within hours the flag of the Polish Republic was flying over the city for the first time since 1939.

At first the Poles were inspired by the hope that Russian relief was at hand. Slowly that hope died. On the morning of the fourth day of the rising General Bor-Komorowski awoke to the realization that something was wrong.

Silenced

The great betrayal had begun. The rumble of the Soviet guns was silenced. The Red Army's attack had halted. It stayed halted for the next two months.

During that time the Russians stood by and watched Warsaw slaughtered. They refused even to allow Allied planes flying supplies to the Poles to land at Soviet air bases. Their propaganda machine poured out a daily deluge of hate against General Bor-Komorowski and his comrades.

Today General Bor-Komorowski says, "The Russians did what they did coldly and deliberately for political purposes. They wanted to destroy the old leadership in Poland in order to replace it with one of their own choosing."

To be sure, the old guard of the Polish Army was Right-wing. But they were Poles fighting the Germans. There was one of the few resistance movements to be led by the Right.

To further Stalin's aims it has been estimated that 200,000 Poles died. But such totals are probably of little account in the balance sheet of power politics.

Surrender

Without Russian aid, the Poles could not win. But the citizens of Warsaw fought until they could fight no more. In the city's streets, and even in the sewers under those shattered streets, the rising died in a cordite-perfumed blaze of courage.

When, after 63 days of bitter fighting, the Home Army surrendered, General Bor-Komorowski's last great act was to negotiate a settlement that guaranteed that his army would be treated as prisoners of war—not as insurgents to be shot out of hand.

Then he joined them in captivity.

The last message from the Polish underground radio told the world: "Warsaw no longer exists..."

Liberated by the Americans, General Bor-Komorowski came to Britain. Later he was joined by his wife and two sons—both born in Poland during the war. His wife's own story of her trek to freedom was typical of the Poles' courage and fortitude.

For a while he served with the Polish Army in Britain. But with our recognition of the Soviet-imposed Government in Poland the hopes of the London exiles were crushed.

Some did go back and of their numbers not a few were arrested and shot. Men who had flown in the Battle of Britain found themselves facing Polish firing squads as traitors. Many, like General Bor-Komorowski, decided that it was more prudent to stay in this country.

become British subjects. I will understand if they do.

"It may be essential for their future and this is a good country. Here a man is free."

But General Bor-Komorowski will not become a British subject.

No blame

It is not that he does not like this country. The bitterness he felt when the Yalta treaty was signed—handing Poland over to the Russian puppets—has passed.

"Britain acted in what she thought were her own interests," he said. "Any country would do the same."

He went on: "I do not blame any young Pole who cuts his last tie with his country. For them the future is here."

"But I am 66. Many of my colleagues are older. We were born Poles, and Poles we must remain."

He talked of the meetings of the Polish Old Comrades' Association.

"Some of my old comrades are not as well off as I am. They have found it difficult to start a new life. Some work as servants in the big hotels... It is a changed world."

His hope

"Most of the former high-ranking officers who live in Britain are older than I am. When we meet we talk about the past. It is all there is for them to talk about. It is, I suppose, a little sad."

But General Bor-Komorowski does not live only in the past. He still hopes that the road will one day be clear for him to go back to Poland.

He told me: "I cannot accept that what is happening in Poland will last for all time."

"No one knows what will happen. The regime may yet change and then I could go back. I would like to finish my days there. It is my country."

He is working now on a book that will, he hopes, "end the slander that the Home Army gave little or no help to Polish Jews."

"The truth is that thousands and thousands of Poles died helping Jews to escape."

I rose to go. The general walked with me to his garden gate. In his tweed sports jacket he looked a solid citizen of British suburbia. Everything but his heart is here.

—(London Express Service).

Faultless

Accountancy—odd work for a general? He spread his neat hands and said: "What he has to do, a man can do."

"This accountancy is easy. An accountant friend came in for an hour one evening and I learned all that I had to do."

His sons—Adam, 18, and George, 16—are both at school. Their father speaks with an accent. Their English is faultless.

Adam, like many lads of his age, has just finished a holiday job which he took in order to buy a motor-cycle.

It is a far from new motor-cycle. When I called, it was parked on the garden path. It is not difficult to foresee that Adam will have to prove his worth as a mechanic.

"In Poland perhaps it would be different. But here, General Bor-Komorowski shrugged his shoulders. "Here it is good for a young man to learn to work for what he needs."

Soon Adam will go to university.

Says his father: "Perhaps one day my sons will decide to



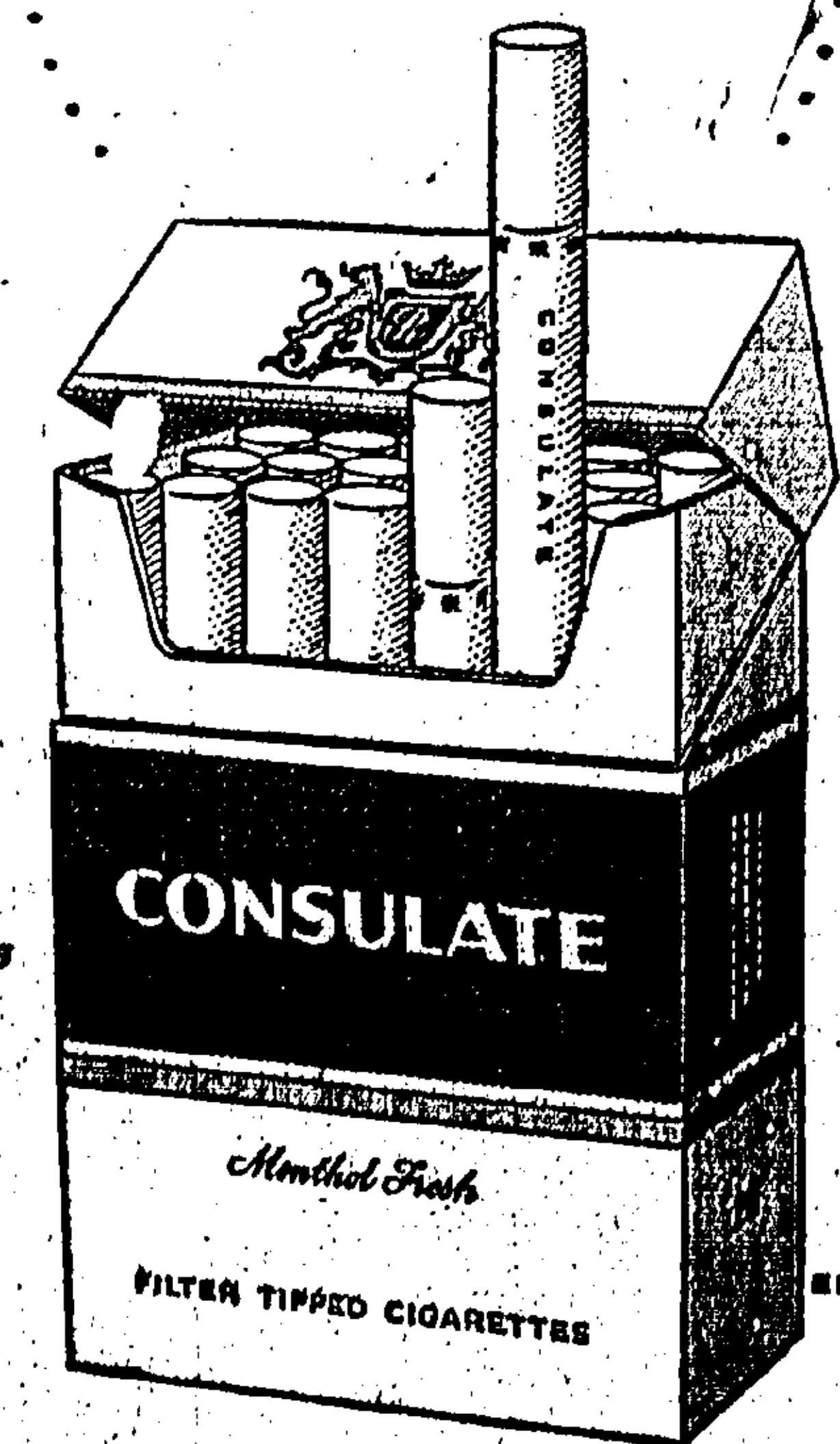
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BEVERLEY BAXTER IN MALTA**SAYS—**

Just before I become the club bore

FOR the last three weeks I have been communing with the ancient past on the island of Malta. In a few hours, however, my wife and I will take off for Imperial Rome and then fly to London Town. After which I shall become the club bore on the subject of the South of France and the island where I am now writing.

Yet the impact of Malta will long remain in my memory. All across the island there are monasteries and church steeples silhouetted against the wispy light blue sky. One would think from the sky line that there are nothing but monasteries, convents and cathedrals yet in fact it is a bustling community with a keen instinct and knowledge for world trade.

ORIGIN

The Maltese have their own ideas of their origin and do not hesitate to question the legends of the past. Swarthly they are but they do not admit Semitic or African blood.

We are told that the inhabitants of the country are principally Aryans and Caucasians who went in to the Mediterranean from the head waters of the Euphrates and the Tigris.

It seems that the Phoenicians were never superseded and that they form today the greater part of the population of these islands, side by side with descendants of Norman, Italian,

Spanish, French and British migrants.

Now let me inform you that the Phoenician race was the only one which could live by agriculture on Maltese land which requires indomitable skill and patience.

But where do we Islanders of Britain stand in relation to the origin of Europe? It seems that Scotland, Ireland and the Welsh have maintained their Aryan language and undoubtedly show Phoenician characteristics.

SUNBURNED

I do not want to intrude upon history but I fully support the opinion of the Phoenicians. The soil is so sunburned that it is like rock. If a golfer tried to play over a course he would find that it is utterly impossible to hit the bottom of the ball.

But Malta and its people do not waste too much time on the immemorial past. Their greatness is not merely in ancient history but in the part the island played in the Hitler war.

STARVATION

The strategic position of Malta was of supreme importance. If it was forced into surrender by starvation and incessant bombing the whole strategy of the allied campaign would have to be altered. The sun shone with its force stare but in the hearts of the defenders there was a realization and acceptance that the sands of time were running out.

So in a last desperate attempt to save the island from starvation a convoy sailed through the Straits of Gibraltar. There were fourteen merchant ships packed with food but could they bring success in time to the starving Islanders?

It was not merely a desperate gamble with death but a carefully planned risk which by its failure or success might alter the course of the whole war. Nothing was spared to make the blow as powerful as could be.

In the convoy were two battleships, four aircraft carriers, twelve cruisers, forty destroyers and eight submarines. It was in fact a huge armada and the Admirals knew that if they failed or were overcome by the enemy it might determine the whole issue of the war.

ARMADA

But there was one tanker which was guarded as if it were studded with jewels far beyond price. It was the American "Ohio" borrowed from the American Navy under the lease-lend understanding. The American was not in the war at that time but they were breaking every law of neutrality.

If only the oil could reach the famished island would both the British and the enemy be fully aware that Fate was about to declare its verdict.

Hour after hour the Germans ceaselessly attacked with aircraft and torpedoes. One flying Stuka actually crashed and exploded over the Ohio. Finally her back was broken and it seemed as if the fates had turned against us.

The back of the Ohio was broken but there was no sinking of the ship. All ranks knew that it was this or nothing.

CARRIED

Twice the Ohio was abandoned and twice she was re-boarded. Desperate efforts were made to tow her but they failed. Yet somehow the miracle came off. With decks afloat she was almost carried into Grand Harbour lashed between two destroyers and as the last of her fuel was pumped ashore the heroic tanker sank. The Ohio had gone to her last sleep.

No wonder sailors are superstitious. When they talk of those far off days their voices are hushed as they recall the story of the Yankee tanker which carried the precious oil to the beleaguered island and may well have changed the history of the world.

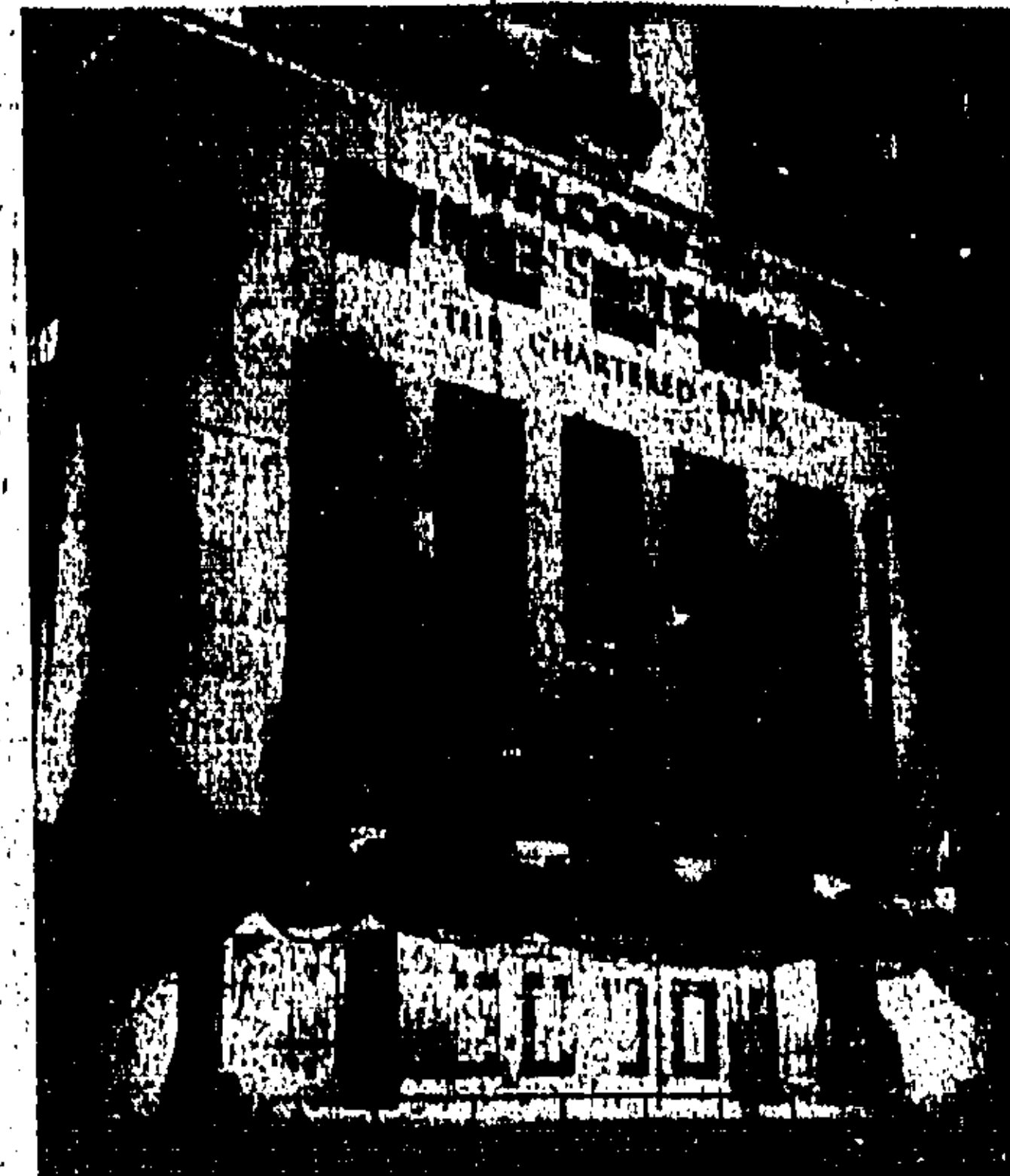
So I approach the end of our holiday which started in the South of France, then changed to Malta and now will come to its end at London. It is possible that the wedding, red-carpet London embassy will have lost something of its novelty charm. That black jacket and striped trousers as engaging as the champagne and the endless evening parties surrounded with a sea that wags the horizon with its time and gentle majesty!



The above picture shows Princess Alexandra as she moves along the ranks of the Guard of Honour at Queen's Pier soon after her arrival in Hongkong yesterday afternoon.

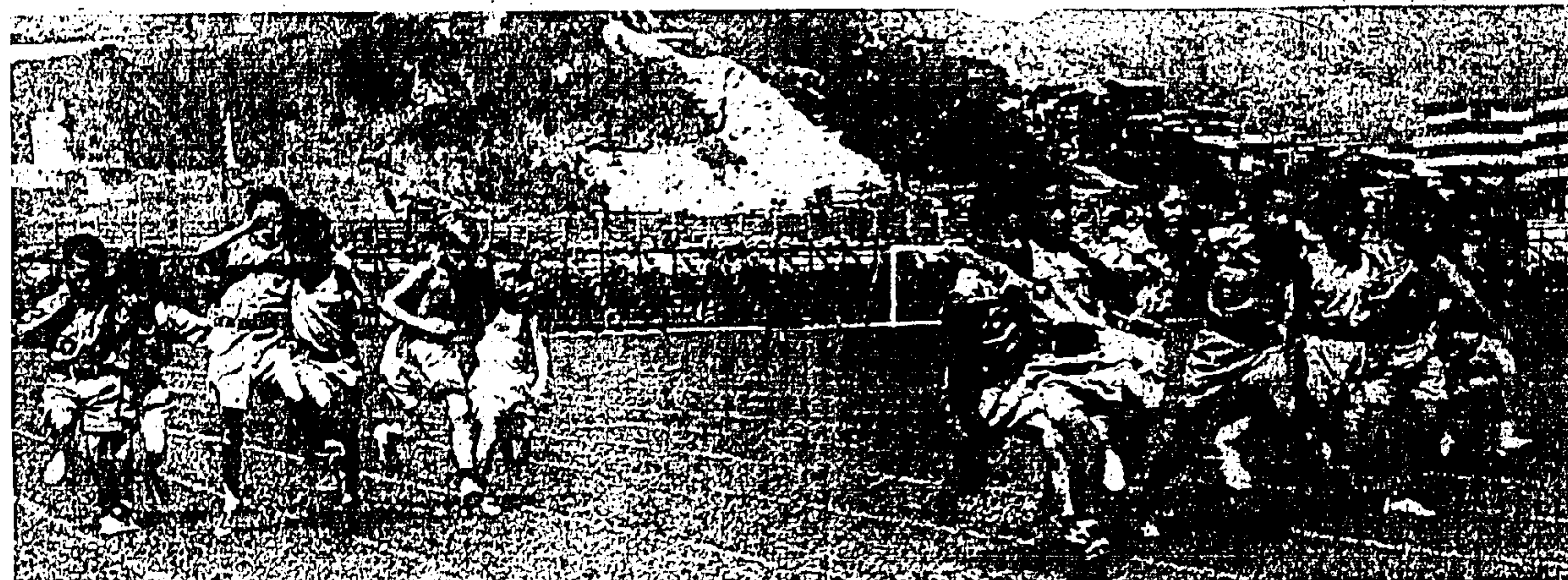


ABOVE: Mr. J. C. McDouall, speaking to members of the Kowloon Women's Welfare Club before laying the foundation stone of the Club's new nursery building near Kai Tak Airport.



ABOVE: All lit up for the royal visit! The Charter Bank in Des Voeux-road, Victoria.

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BELOW: Mrs. Y. T. Hsu (centre) the winner of the HKSPCA raffle prize, a yellow Austin Healey Sprite, receiving the documents for her new car from Mr R. Sleep. Others in the picture are, from left to right, Mrs J. R. Nelson, Mrs J. Downie and Mr Y. T. Hsu.



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ABOVE: A lot of energy going into the three-legged race during the Wolf Cub's Jubilee Rally held at the Police Ground, Boundary-street, last Sunday.



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LEFT: Dr. Joao Pequita, Consul for Portugal (lt), talking to Dr. Nunes da Silva, Portuguese Ambassador in Malaya (centre) and Mr Crug, a local resident (rt), at a cocktail reception held by Dr Pequita at his home.

★ ★ ★
RIGHT: Wedding picture taken after the marriage of Dr and Mrs Michael Wong (centre) at the Supreme Court Marriage Registry last Monday. The bride is the former Miss Doris Tong.



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BELOW: Mr and Mrs Wong Kwan - fan seen amongst a large group of their friends outside St Teresa's Church, Kowloon, where they were married last Sunday. The bride is the former Miss Kwan Tuen-yin.



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RIGHT: Mr W. K. Thomson (right) is seen congratulating Mr Ho Ka-chun after a long service presentation to the latter at the Registrar General Department, Central Government Offices.



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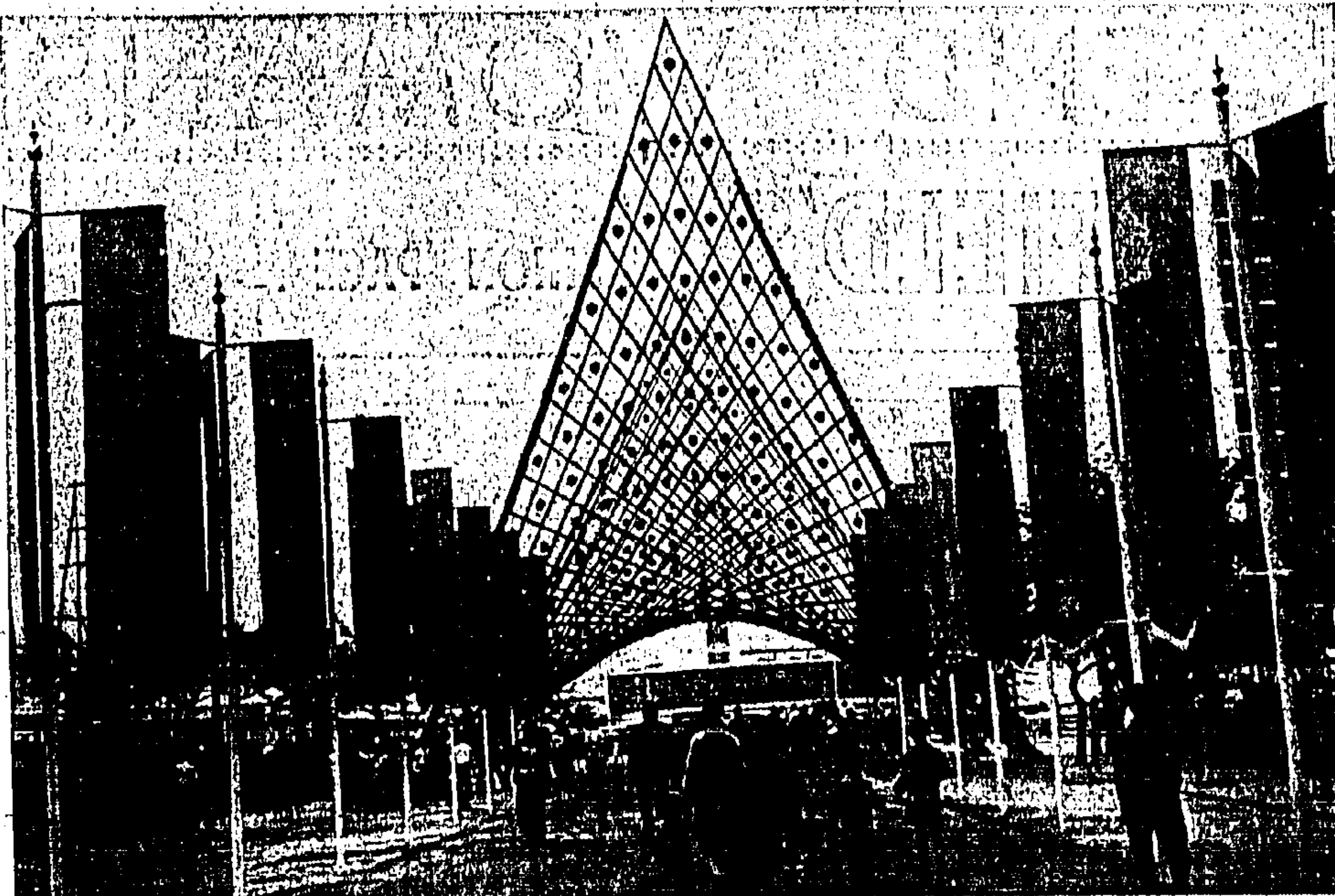
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Princess Alexandra gives her first smile of the royal visit as she leaves the Britannia turbo-prop aircraft which brought her to Hongkong yesterday.



ABOVE: Mr Robert Aylward unveiling the stone marker at the ceremony opening a new village for refugees overlooking Port Shelter. Behind him stand Mr Sterling Whitener (left) and the Rev. Elbert Gates.



ABOVE: A striking view of the ceremonial bamboo archway and gay-coloured pennants decorating Statue Square in honour of the visit of Princess Alexandra.



ABOVE: Old Boys from Macao Salesian Institute, residing in Hongkong, together with Fr. M. Acquistapace, SDB, (front row centre) their former Superior, before a dinner party organised in his honour and in aid of his poor boys.

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LEFT: Mr T. Creodon, Kowloon District Court Judge, and Mrs Creodon became the godparents of Joseph Leung Yiu-kwong who was baptised at the St Teresa's Church, Prince Edward-road, on Sunday. Rev Fr C. M. Orlando, officiated. Left to right: Mrs Creodon, Rev Fr Orlando, Joseph Leung Yiu-kwong and Mr T. Creodon.



ABOVE: Mrs Y. K. Chan presenting a prize to M. L. Ho during the Golden City Middle School Anniversary at 11, Nelson-street this week.



ABOVE: Seen shortly after their arrival at Kai Tak, are Lord Inchcape (right) and Viscount Glenapp (left).



ABOVE: Mr C. S. Barron (right), presenting a gift to Mr E. J. Lucock, Land Bailiff of the Public Works Department, who is retiring after long service with the Government.

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ABOVE: The International Chess Tournament between Thailand and Hongkong took place recently and was won by the Colony's strongest team with a point count of 5½ to 4½. At a reception held at the Gloucester Hotel to honour the visitors, His Thai Majesty's Consul General, Mr Van Boanen, acted as Patron of the match and made the opening move on the first board. Others in the photograph are left to right: Mr M. Martin, Mr E. M. Krouk, Mr R. Hobson and Mr K. M. A. Barnett.

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JILL BUTTERFIELD'S

FASHION PAGE

WORKING ON THE THEORY
THAT EVERY CRISIS
CAN BE OVERCOME BY
THE RIGHT KIND OF DRESS...

Clothes for tight corners

EVERY wardrobe tells the story of a woman's life. Flipping through my gayest girl-friend's cupboard, I found four—repeat four—slinky little black dresses.

"Whenever do you wear them?" "For saying 'good-bye,'" she replied. She has been engaged four times and admits to dressing with more care and consideration for the final tricky scene than she ever did for the initial sparkling celebration.

A bit of a crisis brings out the Bernhardt in every girl, and given a predictable predicament she'll meet it equipped with the prettiest armour that money can buy.

Your own particular tricky situations differ from day to day, but here's how to extricate yourself from a clutch of tight corners as prettily as possible.

COOL...

TIGHT CORNER: How to get a rise from the boss without sacrificing your out-of-office status?

RIGHT ANSWER: Let him lunch you, dress cool, very simple.

Keep your low-cut dress for the boy friend, keep your tinkling bracelets at home, keep your hard-luck story for someone else. Look smart but uncentric. The fact that you really DESERVE the money should take care of the rest.

TIGHT CORNER: How to keep both your new dress and your old friend when you both turn up in identical outfits.

RIGHT ANSWER: Work out an accessory-blueprint together, and remember that at a crowd-



For meeting your fashion double, a dress which takes happily to any accessories. By San-Claire, £11 11s. Black velvet beret, 49s. 6d. Mock ocolot beret, 48s.

ed party it's hard to see anyone below the shoulders anyway. Plan a pretty hat each, different jewellery, bag, and gloves. **TIGHT CORNER:** How to transform yourself from a busy mother of three junior tear-



For breaking off an affair, sooty black velvet with a simple front and dramatic T-strap back. By Polly Peck, £8 18s. 6.



For acting First Lady, slender full length Tricot evening dress. By Kitty Copeland, £8 18s. 6d.



For lunch with the boss, a pobby tweed suit with a fitted jacket, flared skirt and a young Paris air about it. (Unseen bonus for winter weather, it has a matching muffler). By Wallis Shopp, £13 13s.

I would advice sooty velvet, As I said before, every ward- I can't think why more robes tells the story of a woman's husbands don't take my course in band playing your tune. life. in cupboard psychiatry.

MISS OF THE SEASON...

HIT of the season: the brown patent shoes with which every smart shoe store is happily filling up its windows. Miss of the season: the almost total absence of any brown patent bags to go with them.

I tried four main stores in central London without getting so much as a sniff of one: two days and five stores later, I found just one—price 24 guineas.

Demand

Of the giant shoe stores I checked with in Oxford-street, one was down to the last of a

tiny consignment: the other had none at all. Both unhappily reported tremendous frustrated demand. "If someone walked down this street now with six gross, he could ask any price he wanted for them," said one manager to me.

Rayne in Old Bond-street, who are straining every nerve to keep supplies going, estimate that they sell one bag to every two pairs of shoes.

Temporary?

Reasons for this lamentable gap are hard to assign. According to one firm, original supplies of brown patent were almost all collared by the shoe companies,

leaving little or none over for the bag people.

The response of one leading bag-firm gives one a sadly familiar clue. "Probably just one of those temporary fads that will die a natural death. We MAY make some for next spring..."

If any bag firm is hanging back for this reason, I have news for them. Brown is now a smart town colour—and likely to stay that way. Brown patent, as a fashion favourite, is getting hotter all the time. And brown patent is the best, the chicest and the most delightful alternative to black for town accessories that has ever happened. Let us (forgive me) have bags of it.—(London Express Service).

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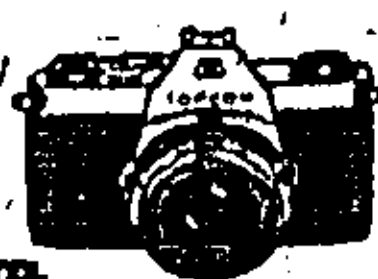
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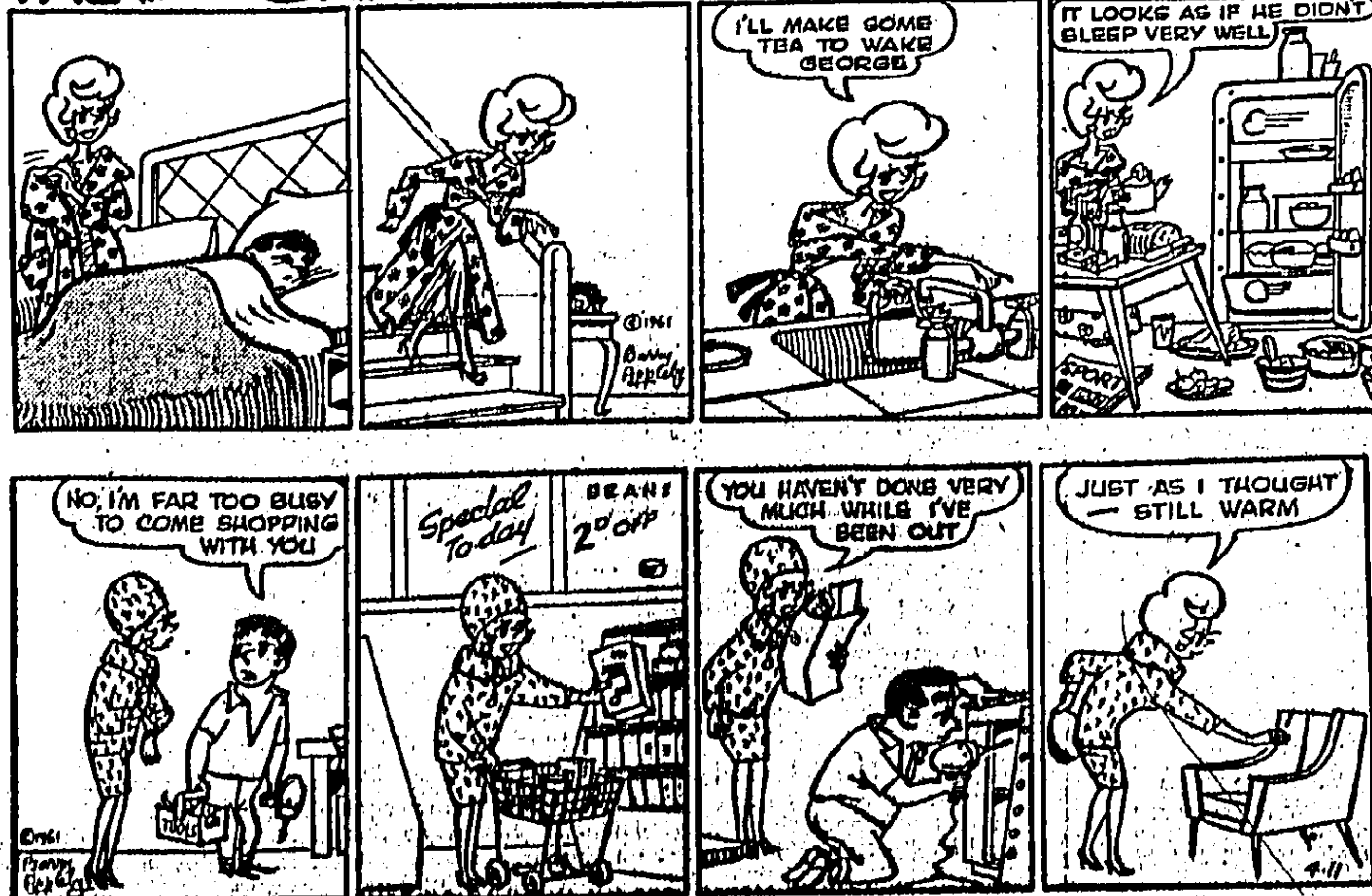
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THE WEEK-END GAMBOLS...

By Barry Appleby



Cooking Problems Solved



WEEK-END WOMANSENSE

VERONICA PAPWORTH

Here it is — the Papworth Report on Petting

BUG-EYED but beautiful in the early morning light, my favourite god-daughter flung herself across the foot of my bed, filled her mouth with brown sugar from the bowl on my breakfast tray, and advised me: "Darling, I've had the most fabulous idea. For a bit for you to write, I mean."

"On SNOGGING!"

"It came to me the other night in the middle of the party. Somebody turned the lights down low, and off they all were—snogging, I mean."

"I guess you called it 'necking' or something when you were young."

"Well, listen, darling—as I've said, there they were, and suddenly I thought of all those agonised letters in the 'mags: 'How far shall I let him go?' from Worried, Wimbledon. 'Or what shall I tell my daughter?' from Anxious, Walling."

Imagined

"I mean, honestly, darling, some of those girls last night were only about 14—and glued to the boys like limpets."

"One imagined their poor mothers. They'd have died! 'And I thought, sucks to 'home influence' and 'setting a good example.' Because those kids were anything but underprivileged. They'd had everything."

"You know what? They were simply conforming."

"I mean, I bet if you asked any one of them why, she'd say she did it because all the others did."

"It's absolutely nothing to do with drinking. Most girls don't."

The lights

"All that 'fruit cup' with sad little bits of apple and stuff on top going brown by the end of the evening! Enough to make one heave."

"Mainly it's the lights. Lights make all the difference."

"Or rather the lack of."

"I mean, honestly, I've been through that stage myself. Some boy looks ghastly—all teeth, or a great nose, and specs. But down go the lights and you don't notice."

"Anything's better than being left out."

"Of course, the next time you meet the nose and specs in the daylight you could die."

"You wonder how, for crying out loud, you could have been such a sheep."

"Which is where you come in. 'So why worry. There's Conduct an Inquiry,' she urged."

THE STUDENT WHO LOOKS ON 'SNOGGING' AS A TRIBAL RITE

me. "Ask all types: 'Is snogging on the increase or something and why?'"

"And stick to snogging because I'm not talking about what that dishy parson who lectured on sex at school called 'heavy petting'."

"This is a public thing—and a bore."

I promised to investigate. I report as follows.

My first candidate was a grammar school boy—mildly auspicious until he discovered I was not "doing it for the telly."

—then highly loquacious. "Snogging's on the increase so far as I'm concerned," he told me proudly, fingering a faintly downy chin and a couple of threepenny spots.

"It's bound to be at my age."

A blank

"You've got to prove yourself, haven't you?"

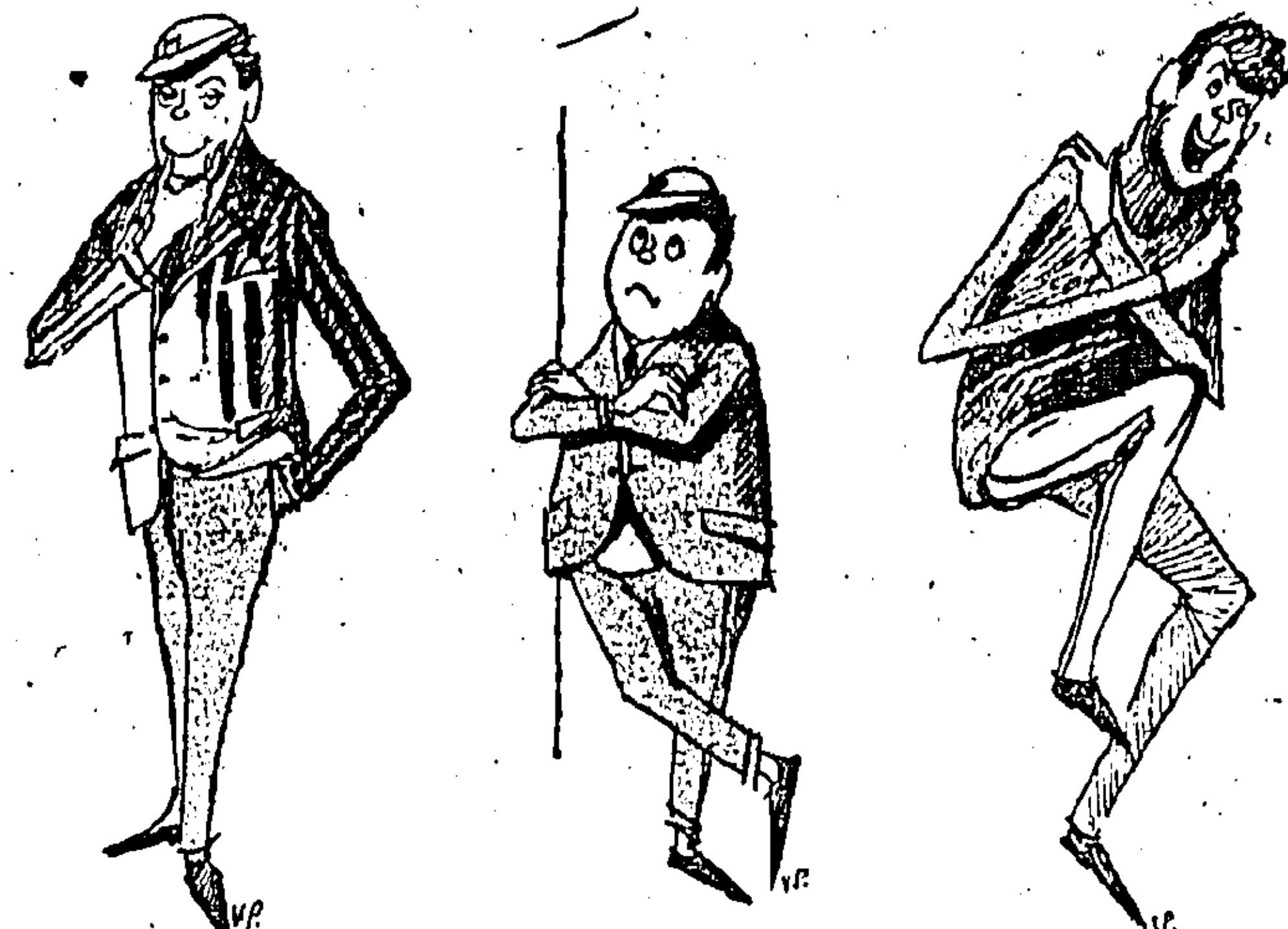
"No. I never bother about who's watching me. You might say my mind's a blank at the time."

"The things is, it's sort of expected of you," said a younger lad with him resigned.

"Come off it," said a 16-year-old blonde in a chain store. "You weren't born yesterday."

"People have been snogging since Eden. What I say is, it's only natural."

"So why worry. There's safety in numbers that's why."



'You've got to prove yourself'

'It's sort of expected...'

'Boy, do I dig tribal rites!'



'What else is there to do at parties?'

"You can't keep on dancing, can you?"

"And if a boy wants to sit out and you turn stuffy..."

"I mean, you don't want to get a reputation..."

"Or no one'll ask you next time."

"And anyway, where's the harm in a bit of fun?"

"Like, remember last Christmas?"

"Oh, go on, you'd have died."

"All on the stairs we were, and each time this boy blew his whistle we had to change snogging partners."

"Sounds awful when we tell you."

"But it wasn't sex and all that. We've learned 'sex nt biology.'"

"Had lectures..."

Back...

My god-daughter was back the following morning.

"They like it," I told her. "They end to 'prove themselves'... as a 'tribal rite' for a bit of fun... in order not to seem 'square'... but mainly because they like it."

"It's as simple as that."

"Oh, darling, NO," she argued through a mouthful of toast. "I've thought and I've thought because, after all, I said for you to write this bit."

"Then suddenly, in the middle of the night, I had this blinding flash of insight. 'I'm sorry, but it's your fault. No, not you personally—listen...'"

"I mean, all those stiffened bras and stick-out skirts these girls were wearing the other evening were simply designed for looking snoggable in."

"That's the thing—only nobody ever says so."

"Those kids had been egged into demanding them by public opinion."

"Vital Statistics" and all that jazz. And 'How long since some smoochy young man stroked YOUR hair?' and 'The skin he adores to touch,' and..."

"It's everywhere — and who started it? We didn't. We couldn't have. We were in our cradles."

"I blame your generation."

"Smell, act and dress seductively, but don't you dare to get reduced — that's what you're all saying."

"And it's not fair, darling — honestly."

"I bet things were different when you were young."

"I seem to remember that everything was always terribly terribly unfair, and it was entirely the fault of the older generation, darling."

"Honestly, I told her: 'We blamed them for everything — from France, Neville Chamberlain, and the Second World War to the shortage of nylons—darling. Honestly.'"

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4

AQUARIUS (January 21-February 19): Prompt action in a tricky situation could save you hours of deliberation with no better results.

PISCES (February 20-March 20): You may have to be satisfied with praise for your work instead of the tangible appreciation you have been expecting.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): It would be advisable to adopt a firmer attitude towards youngsters who take little notice of your mild admonitions.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): A relative who's retirement is causing you concern will manage better than you think on a smaller income.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21): You should soon reap the benefit of a plan now under discussion for making your working day shorter without loss of income.

CANCER (June 22-July 21): Even though you may not always be thanked in no many words, your kindness to your neighbours does not go unnoticed.

LEO (July 22-August 21): Refuse to believe gossip which does not ring true

about a person for whom you have the highest respect.

VIRGO (August 22-September 22): Try to finish your most urgent jobs before lunch, as the afternoon may bring unexpected activity.

LIBRA (September 23-October 22): Make sure you are fully conversant with your partner's plans before you commit yourself as a "full-time assistant."

SCORPIO (October 23-November 21): If you are serious about a romance recently started, it is none too soon to begin saving money.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22-December 21): A confidential talk with your superior at work will give you a clearer idea of your future prospects.

CAPRICORN (December 22-January 20): A friend's proposed visit from abroad promises an exciting reunion, but will need careful planning if you are not to neglect your work.

LUCKY ENCOUNTER: If today is your birthday, a meeting with a man named MURRAY may have some special significance.

A few drinks — and I bought myself a bear . . .

Great Animal Stories

by FRANCIS CLIFFORD

OUTSIDE of a zoo, I've only seen two Himalayan black bears in my life. The first time was during a leave I spent after the retreat from Burma in 1942. I had gone to Kashmir for a couple of weeks and my companion pointed the bear out to me while we were riding in the hills above Srinagar.

It was all of a quarter of a mile away, across a valley, and looked, about half-an-inch high. Somehow, at that distance, it didn't seem a very impressive creature and the occasion was hardly intrepid.

However, just a month later, while in Lahore, I saw another. This one was very impressive indeed—so much so that I bought it from its owner, an itinerant beggar who was wandering about with the animal on a length of steel chain.

What sudden whim prompted me to possess it I can't imagine. What I paid for it was even then a mystery. The bear was a little over a year old and didn't begin to appreciate what I had let myself in for until the following morning when my servant woke me and announced that the bear was outside the hotel.

"Bear?" I queried. "What bear?"

"The one you purchased last night, sahib."

"Don't be ridiculous," I said. "Get me the Alka-Seltzer."

"Get me the Alka-Seltzer?" I said. "I am rarely at my best first thing and that particular morning was the very opposite of an exception. While I bathed and shaved, a few preposterous memories stirred, but they seemed as improbable as a dream. And as my servant, dressed in his customary uniform, came to my door about the matter, I was ready to forget all about it."

A bear, indeed! What next? The hotel manager was in a very different frame of mind. He came over to my table as I was finishing breakfast.

A fact

In a voice rigid with hauteur, he said: "I am sorry to trouble you, Mr. Clifford, but I should be greatly obliged if you would have your bear taken away as soon as possible."

My heart sank a little. It was true, then. A fact, throughout breakfast the realisation had been dawning. Last night I really had bought a bear.

"Naturally," I said, doing my best to appear unconcerned. "Where is it at the moment?"

"Where you left it," Mr. Clifford's tone was icy. "Tethered to one of the palm trees by the hotel entrance. It is causing no little inconvenience to our guests."

"I'll see to it right away," I said continuing to preserve face. He accompanied me across the lobby and through the swinging doors. There he halted, leaving me to go on alone.

Several people were standing nervously at the top of the steps and I felt as if I had a gun in my back as I walked past them. The bear was where the manager had said it was—and it looked huge. All too clearly I remembered it from the night before.

Inwardly, I groaned. I hadn't the least idea what I was going to do—then or later. The bear reared up as I approached and did a shuffling sort of dance, reaching out with its arms as if welcoming me as a partner.

It had a white crescent across its chest and it stood about five-and-a-half feet high. Despite its size it appeared harmless and friendly enough, so I went sufficiently close to be able to chuck it under the chin—just to make it look as though we had been acquainted for years.

Wild impulse

FEEL more foolish than frightened. The bear rested its paws on my shoulders and surveyed me with enormous moist eyes, making small shuffling noises which apparently indicated pleasure.

Emboldened, the manager came a little nearer. "What are you going to do about it, Mr. Clifford?"

"It's a she," I said. I hadn't the slightest idea what it was, but if I owned this bear some esoteric knowledge was plainly called for.

"Her name's Priscilla," I added on a wild impulse. "Priscilla."

"Really?" The manager was not impressed. "Nevertheless, what are you—?"

"I'm taking her with me, of course," I tapped Priscilla's nose playfully. "We're going back to camp, aren't we, old girl?"

Priscilla repeated her dancing shuffle. The manager backed away apprehensively.

"The sooner the better," Mr. Clifford. The sooner the better, I said. "Don't worry," I said. "We'll be gone by noon."

With as much dignity as I could muster, I led Priscilla from the entrance and tied her under another tree on the far side of the lawn. She gave me no trouble at all. I doubt if there has ever been a tamer, more docile bear. Her claws

were non-existent and she didn't even wear a muzzle. Only her size and gregarious disposition made her seem alarming.

It so happened that I had just been posted to an organisation which specialised in parachuting volunteers behind the enemy lines as well as training them in all manner of licensed skulduggery.

No regimental soldier could have expected to return from weekend leave with a bear and not find himself in front of the C.O. within minutes of reporting for duty.

But the group to which I then belonged was, to say the least, informal. Bizarre, some said. The training-camp mess already possessed a vociferous parrot and a kleptomaniac Rhesus monkey and, thinking quickly, I decided that it could do worse than have Priscilla as well.

I sent a telegram to the adjutant, saying simply: ARRIVING THIS AFTERNOON WITH BLACK BEAR. Then I set about the problem of getting her there. The railway people wouldn't do anything to help and neither would several road-haulage contractors—at least not at such short notice.

A telegram

Eventually, after protracted telephoning, I came to the conclusion that I would "have to take her myself in the jeep."

I wasn't too happy about it, but Priscilla was obviously delighted with the notion. She found the jeep fascinating and rocked it from side to side as if it were a toy before at last sitting in the back.

A fair-sized crowd had gathered somewhat sceptically to see us off and I suppose we must have made a rather ridiculous sight. Just as I was about to drive away, the manager, giving the rear of the jeep a wide berth, hurried out to hand me a telegram.

It was from the adjutant and it merely said: PINK, SURELY? We had about 150 miles to go and it took me more than five hours. The initial rush of air excited Priscilla no end and she started bouncing about in a state of high exhilaration.

I generally accepted her invitation—as did some of the others—exchanging a few hefty pats before extricating myself from her clutches and withdrawing indoors. There was not the least danger and her appetites were invariably irresistible.

One evening, however, Loader, the unarmed combat instructor, started to wrestle with her. This happened at our weekly guest night.

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Grunting and snuffling, the two of them rolled and stumbled about on the grass and Priscilla seemed to enjoy every minute of it, ponderously countering each exerting leg—hold, neck—hold and once or twice even seemed to be endeavouring to emulate some of Loader's professional touches.

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Hefty pats

During the day we mooched off to our various training areas and busied ourselves with explosives, unarmed combat and all kinds of unclassified activities. Whenever we limped over to the mess Priscilla would greet us with her ungainly dance routine and snuffled pleas to come within arm's length.

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• BY • THE • WAY •

by Beachcomber

TRICKS with what is called the musical horizon," as someone has said. We are now to have "subliminal music" which translates into sound the mental processes of the subconscious.

It is, apparently, very restful, and employs such instruments as small blowpipes, rubber hammers for hitting rubber, pebbles rolled across soft material, and several pairs of little bellows.

A concert in a small hall, which included a piece called "Under the Mind," mystified the audience until they read a criticism next-day, which told them that they had heard what they were thinking.

Lady Annabella steps out (3)

"MONSTROUS!" cried the Earl. "Here is a bill from the Cuddlesham Arms for £7 10s. 6d. for beer I trust, but you did not consume this ghastly sea of drink undisturbed."

"I have to stand my whack," retorted Annabella sulkily. "Could you not stand what you ordered?"

"I ordered a drink in the Royal Hotel?" "Do you think the herdsmen and ploughmen would go to that morgue? Imagine them with the Castle crowd!"

"I would hardly call our neighbours a crowd," said the Earl, "but they are more fitting company for my daughter than the villagers. It is all this damned democracy. You will be bringing my gardeners to dinner next."

Take it easy

IF you own half a rood of land for which this council is prepared to offer you £37,420 0s. 8½d., hold on to it. Next year they will offer you £470,828 11s. 6d.

The bitter bit

NARKOVER masters are laughing heartily at a recent incident. A parent celebrated his release from prison by visiting his son at the school. The boy stole the boy's watch. The boy complained to the headmaster, and an inquiry elicited the fact that the watch was the father's own timepiece, stolen by the boy from a cupboard in his home while the fond parent was serving his sentence.

Little Po-Pest

"DAD-DY, what a wonder-ful sculp-tor Lord El-gin must have been."

"What are you tal-king a-bout child? He was a dip-lo-mat and art col-lec-tor."

"Well, it says here that Greece wants the El-gin Mar-bles back."

"They came or-ig-in-ally from Ath-ens. Greek sculp-tors made them."

"Then why call them by his name?"

"Be-cause he got them from the Turks for us. Is that clear?"

"Clear as mud, dad-dy. I think I'll go to sleep."

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LOGAN GOURLAY

Dateline: Rome

Oil man with a gigantic dream

ROME. HE WANTS TO BUILD A DAM — COSTING 900 MILLION DOLLARS

ST PETER'S presides aloofly and symmetrically. The Tiber flows like tarnished golden syrup. The statues of the Trevi fountain gush unconcernedly, as though they had never been bribed by tourists' coins — or shocked by the filming feet of Anita Ekberg.

Rome remains Rome. Familiar, unchanging, reassuring. But Rome is also the people who make a pattern that is sometimes familiar, usually changing, and seldom-reassuring.

Let me introduce a few in today's pattern. First, J. Roy Dee, a wealthy American oil man.

And he's always having, or trying to have an audience of the Pope.

Faithful

Mr Dee is faithful to type except for a few details. Including the fact that when he met him in his hotel room at noon he was joyfully singing a song which started "I've got a dream"

Mr Dee, who owns 300 oil wells, has a dream of gigantic dimensions. The building of the Wabash Valley Dam, costing about 900 million dollars—£321 million.

He stopped singing to tell me: "Every year out there in Indiana and Illinois—in what I call the heart of the nation—we lose a fortune because of flood damage."

"So I said why do we put up with this? I'm the kind of man who doesn't take things lying down. No, sir, fighting Irish, that's me."

"Anyway, as I was telling you, I said why don't we build a dam and make use of all the damn water."

Terrible

He laughed uproariously at his own pull. A loud, handsome man built in the proportions of his own project, he reminded me of Tennessee Williams's Big Daddy—but without the wasting disease.

Mr Dee pointed to a smaller, phlegmatic figure walking through the bedroom to the bathroom. "That's my brother Miles. Great guy."

And he's always having, or trying to have an audience of the Pope.

"He wanted to be a religious man and he wanted to find God. Still does."

"Me. I'm terrible. I just want to make money. And I sure did."

"Worked hard all my life. Started heating coal on the box cars. Then, after college, I figured God had put some material into the ground for me."

"So I went out and struck oil. Brother Miles responded from the bathroom, passing silently and slowly between us."

"There he goes, brother Miles. Wants to live like St Francis of Assisi."

"But he still needs some money, and I see he gets it."

Back to the Pope. "Let's see. Yeah. I put 50,000 dollars into this Wabash Valley project to start it. And opened a subscription fund."

"Then I went to Washington. Well, I saw President Kennedy, and he was all for it. And finally we got about 900 million dollars worth of Federal backing—that's around £285 million."

Brother Miles was moving back again towards the bathroom with the tails of a pink shirt flapping round his knees like a shortened cassock.

"He's happy now, brother Miles. We went to an audience at the Vatican the other day and we got the Pope's blessing for the project."

"Always wanted to meet the Pope. Now I can relax and drink a toast."

He produced a bottle from the wardrobe.

His public relations consultant decided to speak up. "We are

HE WANTS TO BUILD A DAM — COSTING 900 MILLION DOLLARS

planning to have a big statue of the Pope done to stand above the dam."

Fastest

Roy Dee said: "This guy has the fastest imagination in the world. Except for one. And that's me."

A massive arm went round the P.R.O.'s unresistant shoulder and the Dee baritone broke into "I've got a dream."

The P.R.O. added his dutiful tenor. Brother Miles from the bathroom contributed a vigorous accompaniment of gargling.

And thus in Rome, 1961, was the project of the Wabash Valley Dam blessed and saluted — solemnly by some, gleefully, loudly and swimmingly by others.

Backings

As I passed it a dedicated priest in a brown cassock was crossing out heaven and substituting hell.

Translation (fairly literal) of a sign chalked on a wall not far from St Peter's: "Join the Communist Party and enjoy heaven on earth."

Quiet days for the nobles

THE Princes Dado, Ruspoli and Orsini, the counts of the Black Nobility, and the other

who prefer a married woman, so he murders his wife and claims it was a crime passionnel. He is sentenced to two years' imprisonment.

And according to the count, the film, in which the murderer is finally bored to death by the other woman, is a comedy.

So — on celluloid — the sweet, Roman life is still being lived.

Marriage and Mr Purdom

EDMUND PURDOM chose Alicia, a Polish beauty, when he last married. Recently she married an American, Alfred Corning Clark.

Mr Clark, possessor of a fortune from Singer sewing machines, died 15 days after the marriage. Under his will Alicia could inherit about 20,000,000 dollars (more than £7,000,000).

But Mr Purdom in Rome says: "I have never been divorced from Alicia." He claims she married illegally and cannot inherit the money.



THANKING MY STARS (no cars for me)

I KNOW what I would have been if I were not what I am. But what I am is not anything mean or meagre.

I own that I don't own a palace. But palaces are houses of intrigues. My small house is a veritable heaven to me. It gives me all the comfort and peace that I need. It saves me from the scorching sun, though it becomes somewhat hot in summer.

by

A. H. AHMED

It protects me from rain, petrol. Besides, its urge for repairs is almost insatiable.

I do not have a car, and I thank my star. A car means a big headache to its owner. It has an unquenchable thirst for

Hongkong is well-known for its variety of transports. I am free to choose anything from a taxi to a rickshaw as means of conveyance without bothering about the spare parts or petrol.

It is true that sometimes I have to wait for hours at the bus stop or the taxi or rickshaw stand. But those are the hours when my imagination gives me my most fruitful thoughts.

I don't hold a high office; I am happy in my humble rank and with my modest earnings. My efforts may not always be rewarded; my sincerity may not always be appreciated. For me there is no going abroad, no posh hotels, no night-clubs.

Unplanned

But, indeed, lucky are they who seek no luxury, yearn for no pleasure, desire no expensive tour.

I am proud of my large family, not withstanding its unplanned structure. My children are the blessings of Heaven and a source of happiness to me.

They may be in the habit of falling sick one after another. They may be adept in the art of breaking valuable furniture. They may show a weakness for picking up quarrels in the neighbourhood.

But they are, after all, my world.

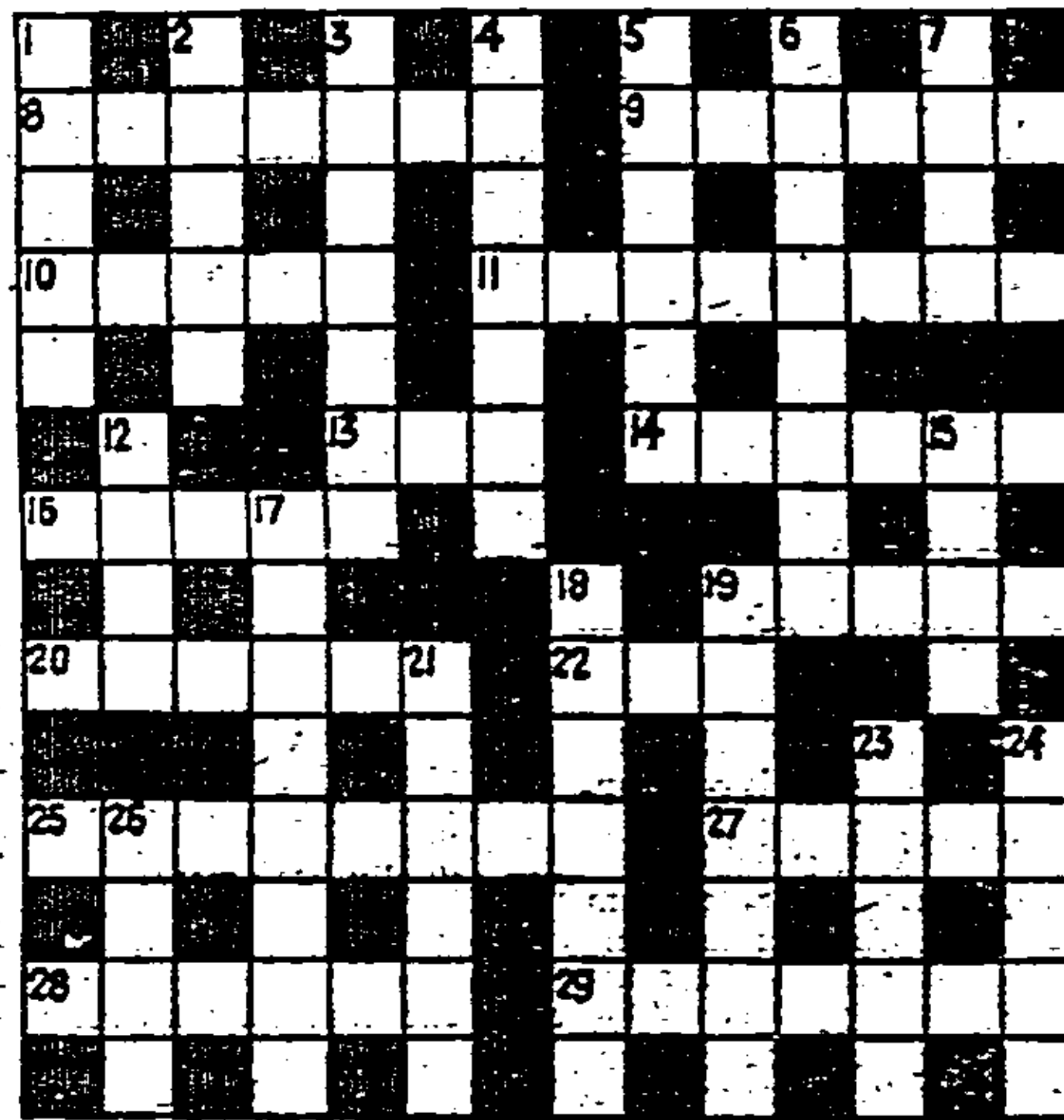
'Little Devil'



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GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

PRIZE CROSSWORD



ACROSS

DOWN

- 8 French town noted for its porcelain. (7)
- 9 Genus of birds resembling larks. (6)
- 10 Angler's fishing basket. (3)
- 11 One of the largest palaces in the world situated in the mountains about 26 miles from Madrid. Includes the burial place of the kings and queens of Spain. (8)
- 13 French metric unit of square measure. A square whose side is 10 metres. (3)
- 14 Species of chicory with curled leaves used as salad. (6)
- 16 Russian weights each equal to 36 English pounds avoirdupois. (5)
- 19 Vicious, unsound or worn-out horse. (5)
- 20 Ball-game of Basque origin resembling tennis in which the ball is struck from a wickerwork shield strapped to the arm. (6)
- 22 Isle of — An administrative district of the county of Cambridge famed for its market gardens. (3)
- 25 In law, any privilege or convenience such as a right of way granted over another's ground. (8)
- 27 Mussolini's son-in-law who was created Foreign Minister in 1936 but removed from his post and made ambassador to the Vatican in 1943. Arrested by Fascists after Mussolini's overthrow, he was tried for treason and shot. (5)
- 28 Back part of rifle or gun-barrel. (6)
- 29 A quick return thrust in fencing. (7)
- 1 Heart, liver, and lungs of beast as food. (5)
- 2 Natural pigment like ochre but darker and browner. (5)
- 3 Cape — Most southerly point of Africa. (7)
- 4 A small religious fraternity among the ancient Jews leading retired ascetic lives. (7)
- 5 Coin as opposed to paper money. (6)
- 6 Occurring only here and there; scattered. (8)
- 7 Portico in ancient Greek architecture. (4)
- 12 Long cloak worn by ecclesiastics in processions. (4)
- 15 In South Africa a shallow pond which is sometimes dry. (4)
- 17 Celebrated Greek cynic philosopher said to have lived in a tub. (8)
- 18 Reading desk in church, especially that for the lessons. (7)
- 19 Fainting; loss of consciousness from fall of blood pressure. (7)
- 21 Favourite wife of Mahomet. (6)
- 23 Law-suit. (5)
- 24 Brood of partridges. (5)
- 26 River of Yorkshire, tributary of the Ouse. (4)

TODAY, with the photographic competition over, we start a new prize competition—only on much smaller lines.

We, through the courtesy of the management of the Queen's and Royal Theatres, are awarding two cinema passes to the member who is the first to send in this crossword correctly filled in.

In the event of nobody getting it all correct, the tickets will go to the person who fills in most of the squares correctly.

But no award will be made if nobody manages to complete more than 50 per cent of the crossword.

If there happens to be a dead heat, the neatest entry will get the prize.

We will send the tickets to the winner, and the solution to the crossword will appear next week, when there will be another prize crossword and more movie passes.

Only members may enter this competition, so if you aren't one already, and are between the ages of 17 and 21, fill in the membership form in this section and send it in to us, together with the completed crossword.

dear sir

In response to Mr Jason Yeung's letter, I would like to say that when I wrote the Diary, I had the idea that there were three kinds of residential halls—those for ladies, those for gentlemen, and those for both ladies and gentlemen.

So my belief that Lady Ho Tung Hall is the only residential hall for ladies is still unchanged.

Yours sincerely,

Jennie Wong

STORIES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

By MAX TRELL

"HELLO, Mr Policeman," said Knarf, the Shadow Boy with the Turned-About Name.

"Hello, Knarf," said the Policeman.

The Policeman was a tall Man. He was so tall that when Knarf stood in front of him and looked up at him, it seemed to Knarf that the Policeman's head held up the sky.

Knarf's question

"Mr Policeman," said Knarf, "what would you rather be if you weren't a Policeman?"

"Now that's something I've often thought about," answered the Policeman.

"What did you decide after you thought about it?" asked Knarf.

"I decided," said the Policeman, "that if I wasn't a Policeman, I'd rather be a Cow."

"A Cow?" repeated Knarf.

"A Cow," said the Policeman, nodding his head.

"What's the good of a Cow?" asked Knarf.

"A Cow," said the Policeman, "lives a wonderful life. Everyone loves a Cow!"

Wishful Thinking

-Policeman Would Like To Be A Cow-

"But if you're a Cow," said Knarf, "all you do all day is eat!"

"What's wrong with that?" asked the Policeman. "Eating is fun. Don't you like to eat?"

"Now and then I like to eat," said Knarf. "I like to eat in the morning. And I love to eat at noon. And I like to eat at night."

"So does the Cow," said the Policeman. "Only when a Cow stops eating breakfast, she begins eating lunch. And when she's through with lunch, she starts eating supper. By that time it's time to go to sleep. And the next morning she starts all over again."

Doesn't like grass

"But I wouldn't like to eat what a Cow eats," said Knarf. "All a Cow eats is grass."

"My Boy," said the Policeman, "grass must be delicious. If it wasn't delicious, Cows wouldn't eat so much of it. Just imagine," the Policeman went

on, "if, instead of sitting down at a table and eating from a plate, you could stand on the table and eat your way from one end of the table to the other. Every grassy field is a dining room table for a Cow."

Knarf said that if he could decide to be something else other than what he was, he would choose to be a piano.

"A piano?" asked the Policeman in surprise.

Never moves

"A piano," said Knarf, nodding his head.

"Why a piano?" asked the Policeman.

"A piano," answered Knarf, "is big and strong. Everybody likes a piano. It's always ready to play."

"But a piano never goes anywhere," said the Policeman.

"It doesn't have to go anywhere," said Knarf. "It likes being in a house with People. If you put your fingers on it the right way, it always plays

you a song. If you hit it hard, it roars like a Lion. If you touch it gently, it chirps like a Sparrow. I'd rather be a piano than a Cow," Knarf finished.

The Policeman thought about this for a minute or two.

"You're right," he said at last. "Being a piano is better than being a Cow. But I don't know which is more useful."

"I don't know what you mean, Mr Policeman," said Knarf.

Which is better?

"A Cow gives milk," said the Policeman. "A piano gives music. Which is better? Milk or music?"

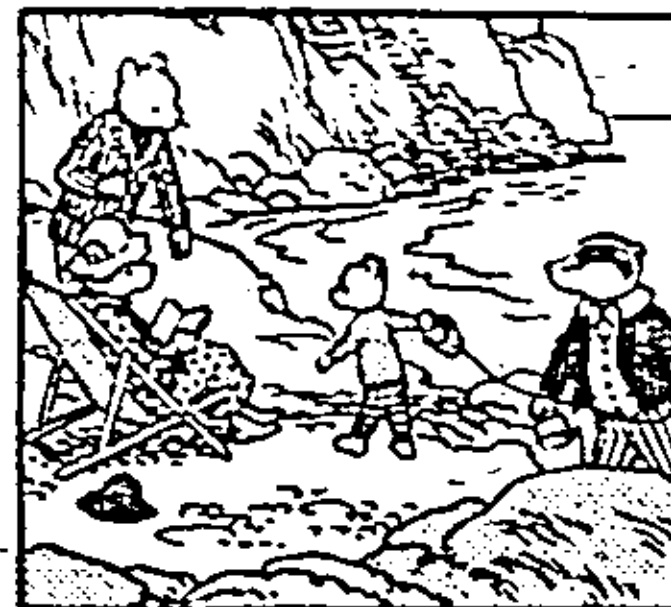
"Both," said Knarf.

"If only," said the Policeman, "we could find a piano that gave milk and a Cow that gave music!"

"Good-bye, Mr Policeman," said Knarf.

"Good-bye, Knarf," said the Policeman.

Rupert and the Popweed-4



Cap'n Binnacle tells the little pals that wonderful shells such as no one in Rocky Bay has ever seen before may be found anywhere along that shore, and, starting back in great excitement, they manage to rejoin Mrs. Bear without slipping on the big boulders.



They are so keen on their search that they are allowed to start at once. "Don't go too far for us to hear if you call," says Mr. Bear. "And take great care." So they set off. "Look," says Rupert. "There are two little points of rock. Let's take one each."

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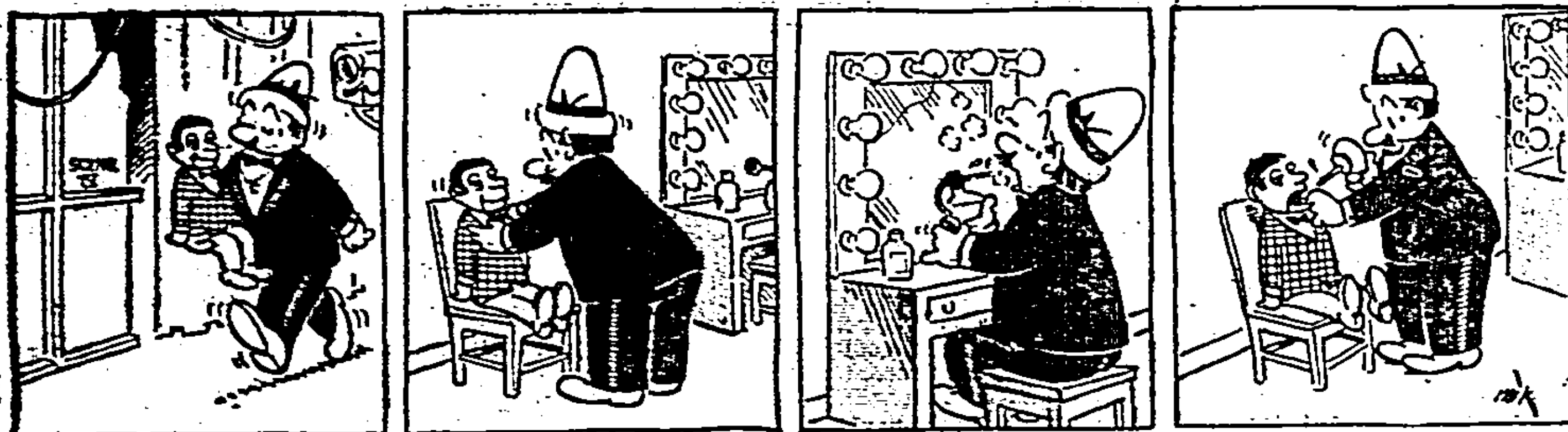
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THE FLUTTERS



BRICK BRADFORD

By Paul Norris



CARL MYATT'S NOTES ON NOTES

Here's something new — SOUND 35/MM

FROM the studios of Command Records comes a new sound that should keep Command ahead in the field of photograph recordings.

Command it was who inspired the search for new sounds and new techniques with their "Persuasive Percussion" and "Provocative Percussion" series.

Now Command's research team of Bob Fine, chief sound engineer, and Enoch Light, artist and repertoire director, often referred to as "Mr Command," have come up with "SOUND 35/MM."

What is "Sound 35/MM"? Tape recordings have now reached a point where there is little room for further improvement. It is a well-known fact that Command records are especially designed for an especially discriminating and demanding audience.

Command's aim is not just excellent recordings—its goal is superb recordings!

In order to fulfill this Bob Fine and Enoch Light began to explore the possibilities of film recording.

After spending much time and encountering numerous disappointments these two talented men came up with the solution — 35/mm film.

Why is recording on film so special? It is different because there is no background noise and the sound is so clear that it gives the ear a wonderful feeling of well-being, making it increasingly receptive so that you actually hear more.

Enoch Light gathered some of the world's foremost musicians and together with recording engineers, fine invaded the auditorium of Carnegie Hall for this history-making recording session.

With the technical side taken care of, there came the headache of selecting the tunes. Twelve all-time standards including "The Man I Love", "All The Way", "Zing Went The Strings Of My Heart", "With A Song In My Heart", were given first class arrangements to complete this great new achievement. A must for all record collectors!

On Command RS 826-SD

A few years ago a young man by the name of Frankie Avalon made a hit with the Hong-kong public with two catchy numbers called "Venus" and "Why".

A gifted singer, Avalon faded out of the local music scene mainly due to the fact that his records were not available here.

However, a leading record concern has recently obtained the franchise for Chancellor Records and the first in a series of Frankie Avalon LPs hit the market last week. It is called "A Whole Lotta Frankie".

This album will surely find favour with Frankie's numerous fans as it contains a collection of hits.

These include "Gingerbread", "De De Dinah", "Venus", "Why", "Bobby Sox To Stockings" and "Don't Throw Away All Those Teardrops".

Available on Chancellor CHL 5018.



Connie Francis — one of the Colony's most Popular recording stars.

Hanifa Din's views on:—

The world today

TENSION and confusion reign supreme, with strikes here, fighting there and trouble everywhere.

The world we are now living in is a pretty mixed-up one unlike the world of a few hundred years back when there was no vice, no wars and what is more, no nuclear tests that are threatening this human world of today.

Something was better in the world of long ago; no education; rather, no education good enough for the people of those days to think of producing nuclear weapons.

Maybe if none of us had known schooling, war would not have been caused and there certainly would not be any ban-the-bomb marches today.

borrowed it from the former world of long ago; and that she must return it to the rightful owner.

Because Jane had borrowed it for a day or two forgetting to return it on the third day she thinks she owns it until Mary asks for it. By that time, Jane has grown so fond of the doll that she does not want to give it back despite the fact that she knows it is Mary's doll.

caused just because people refuse to face the facts.

Countries who always compete with one another with bomb explosions, space flights and the show-off of powers, by bullying smaller countries or stir trouble among their peaceful inhabitants, will come to no good.

What does anyone get out of it but complete destruction of the human race in the end!

These two examples show unnecessary trouble can be

Olive tree

We are living in a dangerous world amid threats and fright, and it appears that the Olive Tree has grown somewhat further out of sight.

Heads of State do not compromise; one is jealous of the other for having superior power and in order not to fall behind, the other tries to produce the same powers or do even better.

Or, another country is jealous of a bigger one helping her neighbour and she herself is too stubborn and proud to ask for or to accept help offered her even though she needs it.

Thus there shall always be jealousy among the two countries which can be ended if both of them co-operate and help one another instead of biting each other's head off.

Talks over territories lead to fights when no agreeable settlement is arrived at, causing unnecessary bloodshed among innocent people.

Actually, fighting between two countries over a territory is like Tom and Dick fighting over a football demanding who should be the owner of it when both were willing, in the first place, to pay for the ball thus making them co-owners.

The way to settle this is to compromise and each play for some time or both play together.

Or, these two countries may be like Mary and Jane quarrelling over a doll when the latter knows full well that she

India and Africa except the Sahara and Kalahari deserts.

Its bad reputation is earned by its fondness for bring up

The World of Nature

THE SAVAGE CATS

THE leopard or panther, although only the third largest of the great cats, is undoubtedly the most feared. It has the widest range, being spread from the Caucasus to China and southwards, covering the whole of

near human habitation where it is just as ready to attack man as it is livestock. Leopards kill thousands of people every year, sometimes be going into a house where villagers lie asleep.

Leopards will also try to enter houses in which a dog is kept, for they are a favourite item of diet. The leopard is doubly dangerous for its claws are usually filthy. Wounds, if not fatal at the time, lead to death later through blood poisoning.

The leopard has a wide range of colour variations, being pale yellow with small spots in the mountainous regions and rich orange yellow with large spots in the forested areas.

There is also the black type that can occur in a litter of normally marked cubs.

BARRY DRISCOLL



Hit Parade By Mitch Meredith

CLIFF Richard has been well received in Australia. He has played to a record number of people already, and has been reassured of the devotion of his screaming, screeching fans "down under".

One of the most popular numbers in his repertoire is "A Girl Like You" which may be remembered for its phenomenal rise on our own Hit Parade.

"I see the world (says Cliff) as a mess only the modern generation can sort out. We need more people in power who are young at heart". Also, "I would like to make a film in Australia, cast as a Bushranger, a tough character I've



Mitch Meredith

read about so often in adventure books".

Cliff is now going to visit Singapore for a few days, and we're hoping that plans for him to come here will be realised.

THE TOP TEN

1. A Wonder Like You Ricky Nelson
2. Chang Chang Cho Cho The Cavalry Men
3. I've Told Every Little Star Linda Scott
4. Sad Movies (Make Me Cry) Lennon Sisters
5. I'm Gonna Knock On Your Door Eddie Hodges
6. Without You Johnny Tillotson
7. Michael The Highwaymen
8. Lonely Island Mark Dinning
9. Cinderella Paul Anka
10. Frankie and Johnny Brook Benton

Hits Here and There Dept.

AMERICA:

- (1) Runaround Sue—Dion
- (2) Bristol Stomp—Dovens
- (3) Big Bad John—Jimmy Dean

BRITAIN:

- (1) Walkin' Back to Happiness—Helen Shapiro
- (2) Girl In Your Arms—Cliff Richard
- (3) Wild Wind—John Leyton

The tale of a fight and a bell Fate was in his corner

Bill McGillis is one with the dust now. He slipped away in his 86th year, quietly and unattended, and no church bell tolled his passing. Yet for this old prize-fight manager, at least one belfry should have vibrated—the tower of a small church in Calgary, Canada.

More than four decades ago, Bill helped purchase the bell for that cupola. And, of all things, through a prize fight.

It was in May, 1919, on a sunless day of gloom, that McGillis brought his heavyweight hopeful, Max Vazzi, into a haphazard arena in Calgary for a bout with Reggie Smith, an undistinguished party of the second part.

Vazzi, a handsome giant of 22 from Reggio, Italy, was the favourite to win, and why not? He was a skilled ring fencer and a man who punched with power. Smith wasn't accorded the slightest chance against him.

Loneliness

The audience filed into the arena quickly, for outside the sky was a cloudy curtain, unbroken by the merest suggestion of sun. Inside, the fans huddled together in the loneliness of the old barn. The only light came through skylights in the roof.

Vazzi and Smith climbed through the ropes and were greeted by the referee, Kenny O'Toole. Then, suddenly, a little man in clerical garb clambered into the ring. "I want to speak to the crowd," the minister told O'Toole. "There's plenty of time," O'Toole replied.

The minister began speaking to the quiet audience. "I know you men are going to help us buy a bell for our church," he said. "Your silver tokens will buy a memento for God's home and it will be a credit to you on the Great Ledger."

The audience stirred. They wanted the fight to begin. But the minister went on.

By
Robert Bau

"Everyone must have credit in this Ledger. For who knows whom the Great Referee will call home at any moment?"

A shower of silver covered the ring floor. Referee O'Toole helped the minister pick up the coins. Even Bill McGillis retrieved part of the silver. The minister left the ring with his pockets bulging. And then, in the dismal, poorly lighted barn, the fight began.

Vazzi lashed out with left jabs and found his mark on Smith's face, leaving reddened skin. But this did not deter Smith, a squat, bearish man. He rushed in and scored with a right uppercut. Vazzi's head shook and his neck muscles bulged. From his face went the smile he had carried only moments before. Plainly he was in pain.

Outside the ring, peering through the ropes, McGillis screamed to his fighter: "Keep moving, box—keep moving and stick out your left!"

Sunlight

Vazzi failed to heed the advice. He fumbled his way about the ring, lashed by Smith's blows. His face was

bloodless, his knees began buckling, and then a left and a right landed on his chin. Vazzi dropped, his body stiffening.

The referee began the count and, as he did, an eerie white glow pierced the skylights. From out of the thick, sunless gloom, a ghostly streak of sunlight shone on Vazzi's face.

O'Toole counted . . . "2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and out!"—and all the while Vazzi's face was bathed in the halo-like streak. Then, almost at the instant the referee ended the count, the sunlight disappeared. Once again, the arena was wrapped in gloom.

And as they dragged the stricken fighter back to his corner, Bill McGillis' ashen face told the story. Maximilian Vazzi was dead.



Credit card to Phyllis Young.

WHO IS IT?

(by Majid Gafoor)

When someone asks you who is dearest to you—who would you name? For me there can only be one answer and if you examine the following statements and apply them you will agree with me too.

When you are in trouble and no one seems to be able to help you—when it seems even your best friend has deserted you, this person is always ready with a sympathetic ear and a hand ready to help.

When you fall ill, a soft voice will comfort you while a cool hand will be laid on your fevered brow by this someone. You will be nursed back to health even though it may take days, weeks or months—the only goal being your recovery. This person is kind and will make sacrifices (and often does) in order that you may never be in need.

When you know not when or where to turn, advice and assistance will be rendered to you unselfishly and willingly. The path you chose may be a hard and long one, but this person will always be near you either mentally or physically to urge you on and on to success. But be you a failure or a success, good or bad, you will always be seen through loving and affectionate eyes and be regarded as precious as gold.

Through life you will incessantly seek the help and advice of this someone and it will be freely given. You will find that it is THIS person ONLY that you can place your complete trust to always act for your good and defend and protect you zealously.

Who is this wonderful, unselfish and kind person? Because we take for granted all these cares bestowed on us by this person we do not really realise it and appreciate and be thankful for it.

Just think over all that this person does and you will, no doubt, realise that it is the person you call "MOTHER."

Winter thoughts

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Running nose
Sighs . . .
Howling wind
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GENE TIERNEY... So many inner conflicts

***** SUSAN BARNES ***** Gene Tierney explains why she fell in love with an older man

SHOW BUSINESS *****

Washington. GENE TIERNEY got up from her armchair and crossed the spacious drawing-room to a kitchen beyond. A kettle could be heard boiling. She returned with coffee for us both and resettled herself, her pretty legs drawn up under her.

"People have to win sooner or later," she told me.

"I said to my doctor: 'I've got to win some time.' He said: 'You will.'"

They both were right.

Last year Gene Tierney's stint in the sanatoria ended. She married a man whom she loved desperately. And she returned to a film world which held out its arms to her.

Preminger has given her the female lead in his production of *Advise and Consent*.

On full salary

Throughout the three years when she was in the sanatoria she was kept on full salary by 20th Century-Fox.

This does not indicate that Hollywood is growing less calculating in its materialism. But it is evidence that Gene Tierney is unusually lovable. Many people hold out their arms to her.

As a girl fresh out of finishing school she was a smash hit in the debutante world of New York. As a star, whose role in *Laura* had captured the imagination of millions, she was a smash hit on the Hollywood scene. As Aly Khan's close companion she was a smash hit along the international circuit.

All this, without becoming a toughie.

Indeed, it is Gene Tierney's untouchability that has as much as anything else, led her into the sanatoria for the emotionally ill-ordered.

For a woman who yearned for domesticity and monogamy, the fact of being loved by a man, as essentially undomesticated as Aly Khan was one thing too many on top of all the other disappointments.

"It is no excuse," she told me, "that I wasn't strong enough."

"I've seen many women lose their children and their husbands and the men they loved and not get ill. There's no tragedy that strong people can't overcome. It's the weak ones that collapse with disaster."

"An awful lot of people who become sick turn against their parents. I never did go for that part of psychology where they blame it all on your childhood. I had the happiest childhood in the world."

My child...

"My doctor says that I have a predisposition for illness which only developed because of the circumstances of my life."

"I mean, my sick child, my marriage that didn't work, my romances that didn't work. There were many disappointments."

Last year Gene Tierney married a Texas oil millionaire named Howard Lee. They hoped to have a baby, but she lost it. Miss Tierney was married once before—for 13 years—to Count Oleg Cassini. Her parents opposed the marriage. The first of her two children was born mentally deficient.

"I had German measles during the first month of my pregnancy," she said. "If it had happened a year later the pregnancy could have been terminated, because that was the year when it was discovered in Australia that German measles in the mother causes mental inadequacy in the child. But when it happened to me they didn't yet know."

"I kept Daria for four and a half years. The doctors told me that I should have given her up. But she was so beautiful to look at, I couldn't. It was a great mistake."

My duty

"For her or for you?" I asked.

"For me. She will be happy wherever she is as long as she's looked after. Because she has the mentality of a nine-month-old baby."

"I think that must be better than having the half-developed intelligence of some backward children who realise that they are different. Daria is completely unaware of it. She is affectionate and simple."

"Even though she doesn't recognise me, go to see her. Partly I feel it's my duty. Partly I want to see for myself that she is well cared for. Her head is beautifully shaped. Her face is lovely. But she's a nine-month-old baby. And she's 18."

"I never cried about my child until I was ill. The doctors told me to cry. I had always held myself in."

Idealist

Miss Tierney reached forward for a cigarette, and I looked at the beautiful, sad face. Under the arched brows, the green eyes were without make-up. They require none. Only the full, soft lips were painted.

She lit her cigarette and continued: "I learned a lot about myself from my doctor. One day he said to me: 'You need a great deal of affection, but don't expect other people to be able to give as much as you.'"

"I've always concentrated my emotions on one person. I've rarely had close friends outside the man I loved. I didn't need them."

"I'm an idealist. That's why I was so unhappy when my first marriage began to fail. Except at the beginning of it, there wasn't any romance in it. I submerged myself in my husband's personality."

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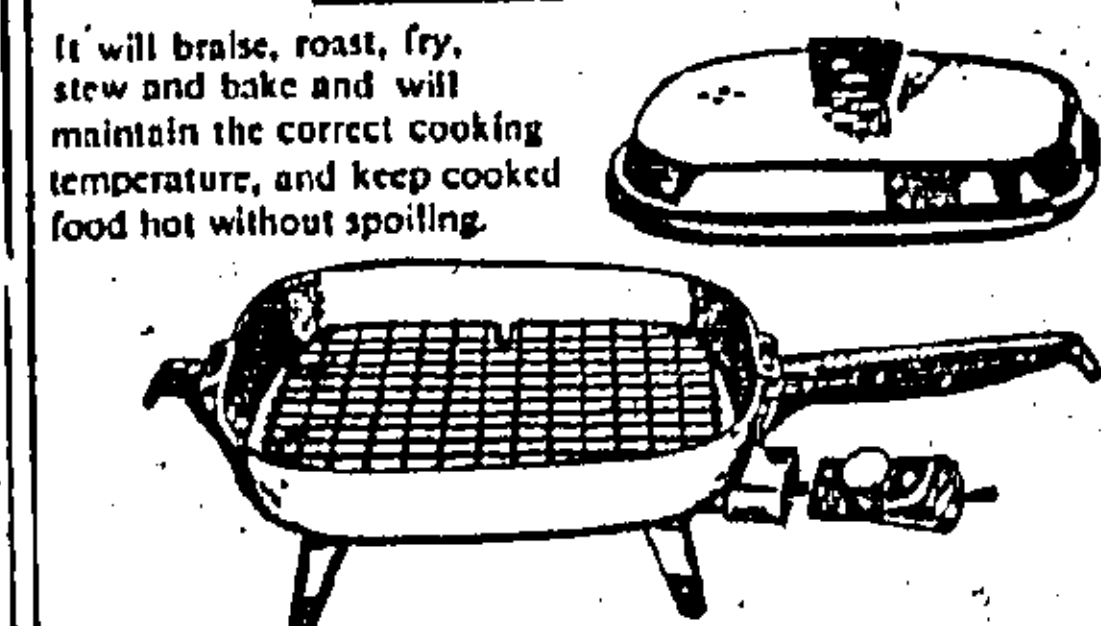
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The big challenge that leads a man to violence

by RICHARD LISTER

THE FURNISHED ROOM. By Laura Del-Rivo. New Authors. 16s.

HERE we have a young man of our time, healthy, intelligent but with no special bent, and absolutely without belief in anything whatsoever. So he lies on his bed in the dingy furnished room, like a clock that has stopped.

Should he pull himself together? But in the interest of what? Work, then? But why endure the routine of nine to five except for something?

For what? For what they call the future—marriage and kids? He's incapable of love, and in the free-and-easy sexual world of Bayswater and Soho he can always get his lust satisfied.

This is the socio-psychological predicament, peculiar to our age of disbelief, that Laura Del-

Rivo explores in her interesting first novel. Joe Beckett has come to London and lives in a squalid bed-sitter in Notting Hill, described with a painstakingly exact knowledge of nasty detail. All Joe's attempts to break out are futile.

He is acute enough to realise the desperation of his state. The unused and unsatisfied energies in him are bursting to get out. He perceives that this might be the state from which violent crimes are committed, and he catches himself responding with an unhealthy excitement to any description of violence.

No proof

So he is ripe for exploitation by someone who will spring the trigger for him, and a café acquaintance, Dyce, a nasty but compelling bogus major sort of character, issues him the challenge.

Dyce has an old aunt at whose death he will come into £25,000. But she looks like living for 'ever. What about it, on a fifty-fifty basis?

If this sounds improbable described thus, Miss Del-Rivo makes it almost credible in her world of seedy Soho cafes, with Joe now in a state of semi-starvation and living on slim pills that are supposed to pep you up.

He accepts less for the money than for the challenge to himself. And ironically he never discovers whether he is capable of the violence that might release him. For on the fatal night the old lady whom he is to attack, scared by the sight of him in her bedroom, dies of a heart attack, and he is left with a crime on his hands and nothing proved.

As Miss Del-Rivo's command of her medium grows with practice she may well turn out to be one of New Authors' most interesting discoveries.

(London Express Service).

Dark look at life

THE PROVERB AND OTHER STORIES, by Marcel Ayme (Bodley Head, 16s.). This French writer is a master of the weapon of irony. In all its range from stinging whip to big stick.

Typical Ayme efforts here include the story of a painter whose canvases showing food are found actually to give solace to the hungry, whereupon he is nationalised as a source of nourishment and of how a son grows up by learning to lie to his father.

Ayme is said always to wear dark glasses, and it is certainly through them that he forms his opinion of mankind.

ONE TO READ AGAIN

MICHAEL FOOT chooses:

WILLIAM HAZLITT'S ESSAYS

TO read again and again, morning and night, winter and summer, ad lib, ad infinitum give me William Hazlitt. He died in poverty 130 years ago.

His indirect approach via letters and time-switches is at first a little worrying, but in the end it yields its rewards.

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The prolonged immaturity is fatal to both of them. It drives Pink into a psychiatric ward and Mary into a resigned acceptance of the third-best.

After tunes of Glory THIS ONE IS NOT FOR THE FILM MEN

by Richard Lister

HOUSEHOLD GHOSTS. By James Kennaway. Longmans. 16s.

THE more serious an author, the more unnerving the effect of success with a first book. A merely popular writer has only to try to write a second more popular book.

But James Kennaway obviously takes his novel-writing seriously. His *Tunes of Glory* is now better known perhaps to filmgoers than to novel readers. But the novel, too, had its great success, and the problem has evidently been how not to write another film script.

In this at least he has succeeded in this interesting new book. I can't see any film company snapping it up. The approach is altogether too subtle and oblique.

So wary

In its essence the book is as simple as could be. It is a study of a young Scotswoman, Mary Ferguson, married to an impatient husband, trying the experiment of taking a lover, finding it unsatisfying and returning, after a year to her home.

But the treatment is much less simple than the story. Mr Kennaway stalks his subject with a wary indirectness, as if fearing that it might disappear altogether if he got down wind of it.

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Book page choice

A SPECIALLY recommended selection of recent books, not necessarily best sellers.

FICTION

All We Possess. By Edward Hyams. Longmans. 18s.
The man Who Won the Pools. By J. I. M. Stewart. Gollancz. 15s.

Are You Hungry, Are You Cold? By Ludwig Bemelmans. Deutsch. 15s.

NON-FICTION

The Origins of the Second World War. By A. J. P. Taylor. Hamish Hamilton. 25s.

A World on the Wane. By Claude Levi-Strauss. Hutchinson. 42s.

A Primo Minister Remembers. By Francis Williams. Heinemann. 21s.

What
it was
like: by
the quiet
man
in the
bowler
hat

BOMBING OFFENSIVE

THE HEROES SPEAK

PART ONE: DESTINATION BERLIN

MOSTLY they try to laugh about it when they meet. The survivors, the youngest now nearing 40, can sound as jolly as reunited school friends when they talk about the nights they bombed Germany.

"Do you remember Albert the navigator?" asks one of them, Hamish Mahaddie. "And the conversations he had over Germany with The Great Reaper?"

When the first flak jolted his bomber, Albert bent over his chart table could sometimes be heard to say, "Good evening, Reaper, this is Albie..." And putting on a solemn, ecclesiastical voice he would reply to himself, "And good evening to you Albie." Then as shell splinters hit the fuselage: "Look, Reaper, I hope you aren't after Albie tonight because he's not in this aircraft. I promise. He's in the one behind."

Everybody who remembers laughs affectionately and you, the outsider, ask: "What happened to Albie?" And Mahaddie says quietly: "Albie got the chop," and the subject is changed.

This is how it was and this is how it is. It is the best way. There was so much that even now is not discussed unnecessarily. The Reaper came for Albie and 55,357 other fliers of Bomber Command and those who survive have all known what it is like to have virtually

no expectation of life. On each of the night raids on Germany one bomber in 20, on average, was shot down. Group Captain Mahaddie, now pushing 50, is a bright, brisk businessman in the aircraft industry and there are things which he will and will not talk about.

By TOM POCOCK

He will talk of names you may not know: Willy Tait, Jimmy Marks, B. V. Robinson and Fraser Barron who became a Wing Commander when still legally an infant and died over a French marshalling yard. And some names that you do know, like Chesilire and Gibson.

He will not talk about the month in which he won the D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C. and Czech Military Cross.

THE STRAIN

If you ask him about any of the sorties he flew he will probably only speak of two. "I recall two raids in which I led hundreds of bombers to Hamburg and to Saarbrücken. Unfortunately we were not so good at bombing by radar in those days and two other towns were bombed instead. These raids have become known as Hamish's Shame and Mahaddie's Folly."

There are in fact few men better qualified to speak of the strategic bombing offensive. Group Captain Mahaddie had joined the RAF as a Halton apprentice and started the war as a sergeant-pilot. He flew Whitleys, Stirlings and Lancasters on operations, rising through flight commander, squadron commander and station commander. He was the officer on Albie, Vice-Marshal Donald Bennett's staff, responsible for selecting and training the Pathfinder crews.

I particularly wanted to know how the aircrew knew their way up to flying night after night from the comforts of England to horrors over Germany.

"Most crews seemed to talk themselves into believing that it could not happen to them personally," he said. "But the strain was great and it was worst when you had nothing to do but hang about waiting to hear where you were going that night. You got a feeling of slight but distinct nausea."

COMPOSED

Mahaddie described how each morning Sir Arthur Harris broadcast to his group-commanders his choice of target for that night from his headquarters at High Wycombe which they had called "The Petrified Forest."

The news would be passed to the bomber stations.

"From that moment it was easiest for the squadron and flight commanders and the navigators, flight engineers and air gunner leaders because we were very busy. The crews soon found out where they were

BOMBING OFFENSIVE

FIERCE controversy is stirred by the official account of the war's strategic bombing offensive.

But below the charges and counter-charges lies one of the war's most exciting sagas.

Now the men who actually flew the air-planes tell what it was like to be heading towards Berlin, Hamburg, Düsseldorf.

going and the suspense could be bad."

Mahaddie himself, as a squadron commander found the composure of the others the greatest help. "Because I just had to match it myself."

"The men I admired most," he went on, "were those who had to force themselves to go through with it. Anderson, the ace navigator, for example, who was always a little nervous. And, inevitably, there were those who became 'frayed at the edges.' A man's weakest

moment, Mahaddie knew, was when he had just returned from leave and his wife or his mother had said: "You've flown more sorties than most of them and you've got your D.F.C. It's time you gave up."

Those who succumbed to such persuasion might be seen hanging about outside the squadron commander's office. The excuse might be that an old friend had asked him to come over to his squadron in Training Command, or just a request for a transfer.

Mahaddie's technique for dealing with such falling spirits was, I hear, effective. He would come bustling out of his office and say "Sorry, I can't see you now, old chap. But do something for me, will you? I'm flying tonight and I'm worried about my port engine. Take my aircraft up and let me know what you think."

FRIGHTENED

Until late afternoon the man would be engrossed in the technicalities of aero engines and when he landed would be on the Battle Order for the night. He would have had no time to brood.

And there were elaborate jokes to lighten the tension. Once Mahaddie heard that an elephant had become detached from its circus and was standing in a pond beside the Great North-road. So he sent for one of his Mosquito bomber pilots and told him that he had to undertake a special reconnaissance operation. Success, Mahaddie said sternly, was essential.

"Then," he now recalls, "I told him to fly down the Great North-road until he saw an elephant. And do you know what the blighter said? He just said: 'What colour, sir?'"

There were, of course, times when even forced gaiety could not relieve the tension. One such time was the battle of Berlin. It was mid-winter and there would be more than 1,000 miles to be flown against the fighters, the flak, the storms and the icing in the dark.

"When we knew we had to go back again to The Big City everyone felt frightened," said Mahaddie. "The crews would come into the briefing room and sit very quietly. Then the squadron-commander would say that he had a special message for them from 'Butch Harris' at The Petrified Forest, and he would read out something like this: 'Tonight you go to The Big City. You have the opportunity to light a fire in the belly of the enemy and burn his black heart out.'"

"Now that didn't come from Lumbeth Palace. When 'Butch' talked to the boys like that they were ready to pick up their bombs and run to Berlin."

I asked him what was the formula for the best aircrews, and he replied, "Without doubt the best crews were mixed crews from the Commonwealth. A Canadian pilot, a Scottish navigator, an Australian flight engineer, a New Zealand air gunner, and that sort of thing."

"A crew drawn from just one of those countries would somehow be weaker than a mixed crew. Perhaps it was the friendly rivalry. But these Commonwealth crews seemed to stimulate each other and become welded together into a formidable partnership."

Coming from those days of devastation, that seems an unexpectedly constructive thought.

NEXT WEEK

Disaster over Nuremberg

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THE most glaring inequality in an unequal world is the flagrantly unjust distribution of looks.

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How many men can truthfully consider themselves handsome? My hand-picked team of keen young women researchers has been working on this one for years. Sadly they give their answer. Not many.

Most of us then are plain and it is a widely held fiction that we don't give a damn. I have been finding out this week just how false this is.

The truth is that every year more and more men win when they see themselves in their shaving mirrors, and decide to Do Something About It.

There is, surprisingly, quite a lot they can do. The easiest solution is to grow a beard. A good big bushy beard can cover up areas of unsatisfactory face and may be the reason why so many are sprouting around the place nowadays.

The most drastic and expensive answer is plastic surgery. A well-known plastic surgeon tells me that of all the patients who come to him for cosmetic reasons, 25 per cent are men.

Smaller

Most of them want a new nose and, for about 100 guineas, they can have one. The new noses are usually smaller than the old ones and are without the old humps and wobbles and left or right wing deviations.

A lot of men want their ears pinned back. Others want their eyes unpuffed or their chins built up or their jutting lower jaws pushed back a bit.

A good many want, and get, a complete face-lift. This costs them 150 guineas and makes them look years younger. All these operations involve about five days in a nursing home, which costs a good bit extra.

Other men, watching the frown lines gather, struggle manfully for a bit, and then go and have themselves a facial. You can get these at most men's hairdressers in London's West End now.

Men's hairdressing gets more elaborate daily. Follow John Osborne, Tony Richardson, appearance.

TOP 'TOPS'

The Bing style

The Perry cut

The Adam line

The most popular style, says Mr. Gerry Rex of Wig Specialities, is the Perry Cut—a short cut, brushed to the right. Next comes the Bing Crosby widow's peak and then the crew cut.

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SATURDAY SPORTS SPOT

By I. M. MacTAVISH

A list as long as
your arm—with
a sore thumb

Have you had a close look at the strangely unwieldy list of 40 players nominated by the Interport Sub-committee of the Hongkong Football Association to undergo special training for the forthcoming double series against IFK Norrköping and the national side from Yugoslavia?

A number of the players have just about as much chance of being selected for the Colony as I have. They seem to have been picked by my favourite system of finding winners at Happy Valley.

A DECAPITATING
MATTER

"Never lose your head if you want to stay out of trouble" is a spot of good advice which has been given on many an important occasion... and frankly it is surprising what a difference such a loss can make.

I should know. Last Monday I unfortunately had my head chopped off during the process of printing my report on Sunday's match between Army and Five-muscle-men as a result other parts of my anatomy were endangered.

In the second paragraph of my report—when I was referring to the indifferent start made in the game by the soldiers—I wrote "...and a right out of a punch they looked". In the printed text "looked" became "look" and the sense changed considerably.

A BIT TOUCHY

For a time things were a bit touchy in military circles but being a peaceful man at heart I discount the whispers of hastily arranged unarmed combat courses and likewise I give no credence to rumours of special toughening measures being undergone by senior members of the Army Physical Training Corps.

However, let me say certain steps have been taken to prevent a recurrence of provocative things like this. A member of the staff has been handed at it in his spare moments covering about a sheet of paper with the significant sentence: "I must not chop off MacTavish's head... I must not chop off MacTavish's head... I must not chop off MacTavish's head..."

Incidentally, just in case you get any ideas, the editor and I have already agreed that correspondence on this decapitating matter is hereby closed.

TODAY'S
RUGBY

By LANCASTRIAN

The Rugby programme for today is rather a modest one. There is a match on the Island at Causeway Bay where HMS Tamar will play the 4th Regiment at 3.30.

On the Kowloon side, Police Casualty will play the 1st Battalion at 3 pm and on the next day at 4.30. Whittaker's will play the 1st Battalion at 4.30. This strikes me as being the pick of the games near at hand.

Way out in the Provinces, however, the Club XV will be playing the 1st Battalion at 4.30 on the Sek Kung ground. It will be very interesting to see how the Club's last-moving backs overcome the roughness of the pitch, for that and the expected hot weather could slow them down considerably.

ADDITIONAL MATCHES

The Strangers, on the other hand, believe their name when it comes to knowledge of local conditions as they have played quite a number of matches there already this season.

The 4th Regiment RA will be playing the 1st Battalion at 4.30 pm, 14th Regiment RA take on HMS Quiberon, and under floodlights the Club XV will be playing a Far East Fleet XV at 7.15 pm.

One is left wondering if the public is supposed to take this list seriously for how players like Chan Chan-lam (Happy Valley) who has been around for years without getting recognition, and Lau Kam-pui (South China) who simply are not ready for this kind of football, got into the list is something of a mystery even in Hongkong.

Hard to understand

However, the nominations from the Police, the Hardest to understand, are Kung Wah-ki, Cheung Shiu-tung, and Evans who find themselves in the list have all had a looking season so far. Not one of them has been able to find anything resembling the form of a season ago... so they can only assume they were picked in the select group on the strength of past reputation. They certainly have not been helped on current form.

It will be very interesting to see what the final selections are like... and how many of the "unselected" get even a passing mention.

HKABA on the brink of
best season in years

The 1961-62 boxing season got off to a great start at the Southern Stadium last Monday. The big problem now facing the Hongkong Amateur Boxing Association is how to sustain the interest which has been aroused. It is not an easy task.

It was noticeable on Monday that there was a goodly crowd of Americans and it may be that the Hongkong Amateur Boxing Association could make closer contact with visiting ships in order to bring new faces into the ring. Scamman Gaines, of the USS

Boyd, showed during his hard hitting bout with Sgt West that there is talent abroad.

It was also refreshing to see... such excellent representation from the Army in Hongkong. Obviously the better known service boxers have their loyal followers and the line show put up by a number of the military participants was undoubtedly inspired and encouraged by the vocal exhortations of their colleagues around the ring.

Sometimes, however, this is a mixed blessing to the man who is doing the boxing and there was a good example of this in the middleweight match between Fusilier Stobbs and SAC Baharudin.

Stobbs, quite obviously had a real wallop in his right hand and his pals around the ring-side never let him forget it for a moment. "Get that right on him" or "Knock him out" or "He's a fan so eloquently put it" "Let him have the old sleeper, Stobbs".

And Stobbs did his best to oblige. His efforts, however, were sadly misdirected against an opponent who carried his guard high and covered up when the Hongkong boy's heavier blows started on their way.

Misguided

The situation called for a strong left-handed attack to the body to bring down Baharudin's defence but misguidedly the Fusilier mauled away in a fruitless effort to hang his "Mary Ann" on the Malaysian boy's whiskers.

Needless to say he never did... and I felt he would have fought a much better fight if he had been left alone.

Nevertheless nothing can detract from the fact that this first ever Hongkong-Malayan Armed Forces match was a spectacular opening to the new season. It was excellent entertainment and provided enough action to send even the most demanding spectators home happy and satisfied.

It would be wrong to leave the promotion without a complimentary mention of the intelligent efficient work of Captain A. K. Phillimore during his periods as third man in the ring.

His handling of the various bouts and all the hallmarks of a completely confident official. There was a refreshing lack of ostentation in everything he did; no dramatics; no unnecessary interference with the contestants; and a clear precise instruction whenever he found it necessary to stop the proceedings and speak to one or both of the boxers.

It was refereeing made to look simple. Too many folks these days give the very deposite impression and it is to be hoped that Captain Phillimore's good example will die

The naive statement by the Hongkong Football Association earlier in the week makes strange reading.

On the one hand they are expressing apparent concern for the pockets of the Colony's faithful fans who somehow have to find the money for four big games in a week yet on the other they have given their blessing to a match next Monday between the CAAAF and South Korea... a match, incidentally which is being shamelessly offered to the public at grossly inflated and completely unjustified fancy prices.

Not worth \$6

Last Saturday I condemned this pit money soccer party and now by their action in reducing prices for their own series of games against the visiting footballers from Sweden, the HKFA officials have given tacit confirmation that the financial resources of the fans have been stretched beyond reasonable limits.

The Koreans simply are not worth \$6 of anyone's money.

If the double venture of bringing the Swedes and the Yuns shows here at the same time and in a maze of financial worries the HKFA officials will have only themselves to blame. Anyone who is genuinely interested in the future of the game will keep his fingers crossed and hope this does not happen but it is impossible

The week's
surprise

Anyone active in sporting circles in Hongkong has to be ready for the strangest and most unexpected happenings.

The other day the telephone rang and when the caller identified himself as Eric Liddell, the 1961 champion of champions, I immediately got up to find myself confronted with the request "have you by any chance got a copy of the rules of Shove Ha'penny handy?"

The inquiry was inspired in a roundabout way by the fact that someone at Talkoo had borrowed a Shove Ha'penny board from a Kowloon Sports Club in order to get one, or maybe it was two, made exactly like it.

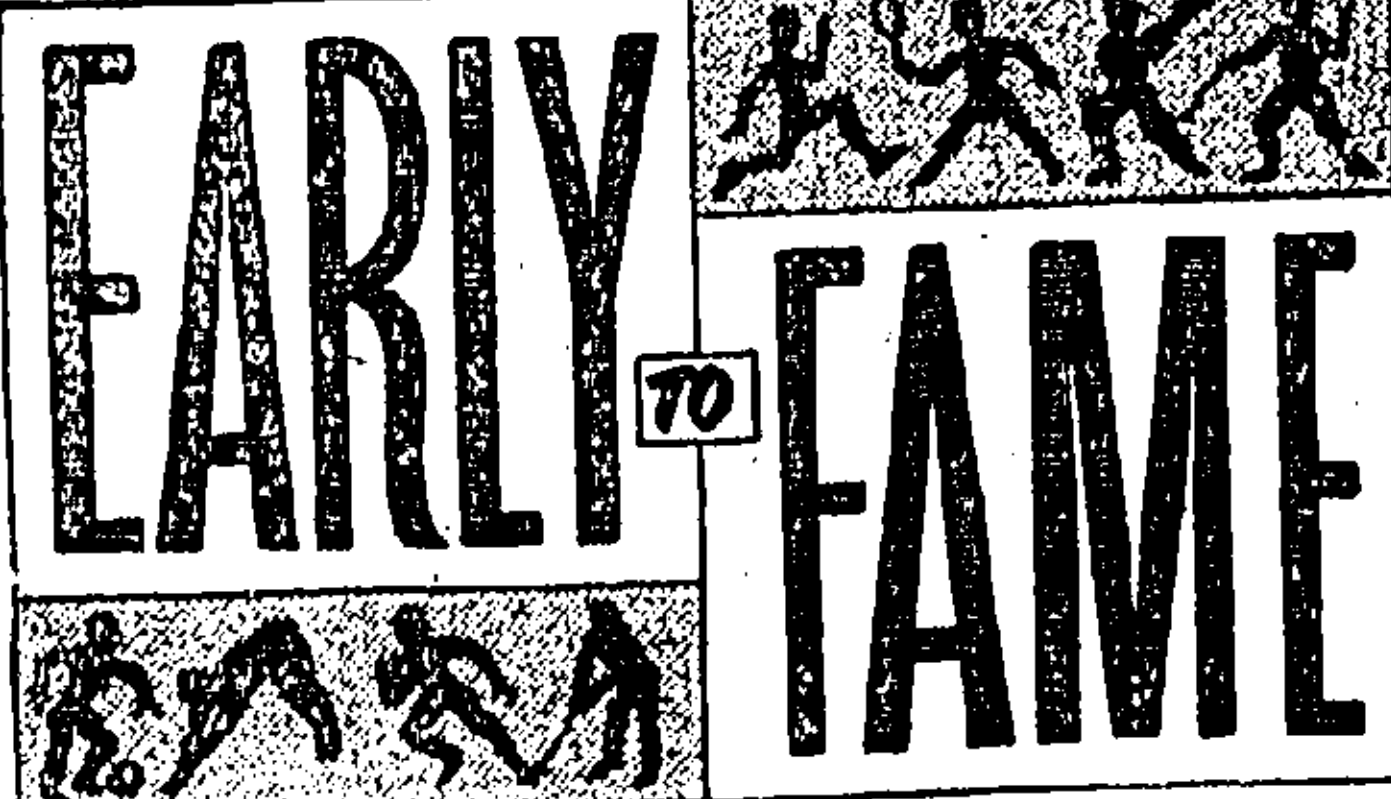
18 OF THEM

In the transaction some sage went to know about the rules of Shove Ha'penny and eventually it got to me via Eric Liddell's telephone.

Our combined efforts produced an approach to the manager of NAAFI. Surely enough he turned me up with the official rules... and believe it or not we found the old game, which is one of the happy features of the local, is actually governed by 18... yes, eighteen rules.

I wonder how many of you have been cheating for years without knowing it?

This turned out to be a serious request but when an Australian juv bowler unexpectedly asked for information about a traditionally English game like Shove Ha'penny one can be pardoned for being more than a little suspicious.

He followed his father's
footsteps

By DENNIS DREW

John Surtees, the only man to gain the double hat-trick of senior and junior world motorcycle championships, was born into motorcycles. His father wrote the name of Surtees on the honour scrolls of the sport even before John was born.

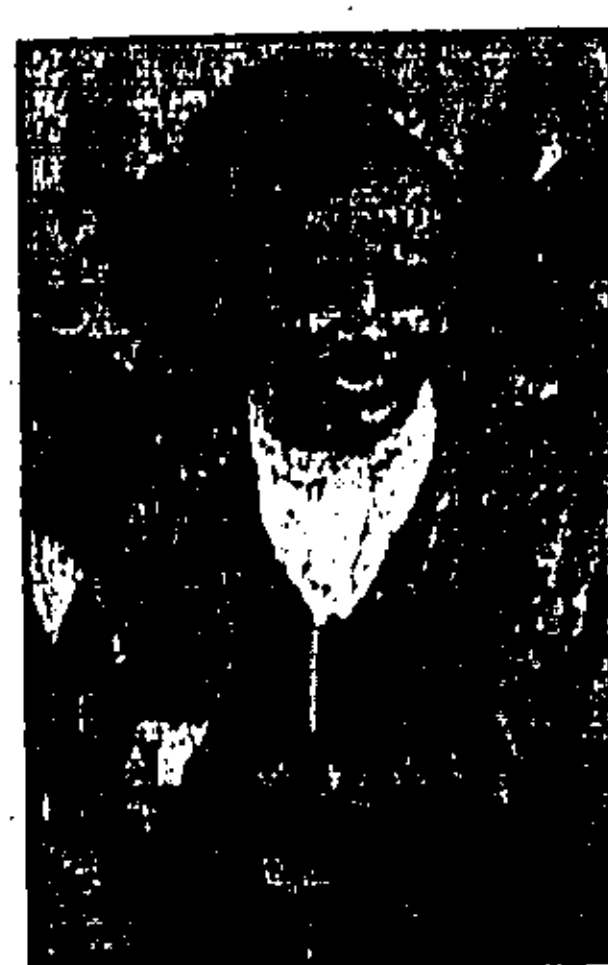
At 13 he was given his first motorcycle—it cost £12. At 15 he tasted the first thrill of victory on the track. He was passenger to his father in a motorcycle combination time trial at Enfield in North London.

By the time he was 17, young Surtees was ready to ride solo. He didn't have any overnight fame. In fact, in his first year's racing Surtees finished only one race—in third place.

Champion

The following year a new machine brought better luck. Twice he finished second in the world championship. Geoff Duke, who had really arrived in the sport of speed, courage and split second decision.

In 1954, aged 20, Surtees was one of the "big boys" of the sport. Out of 55 starts he had 40 wins. The next year he had even more successful. He had 75 starts, 66 which finished in wins, three in seconds, one third and four retirements. It was this sort



of riding that brought him an offer from an Italian firm which was to ensure that John Surtees would be world champion.

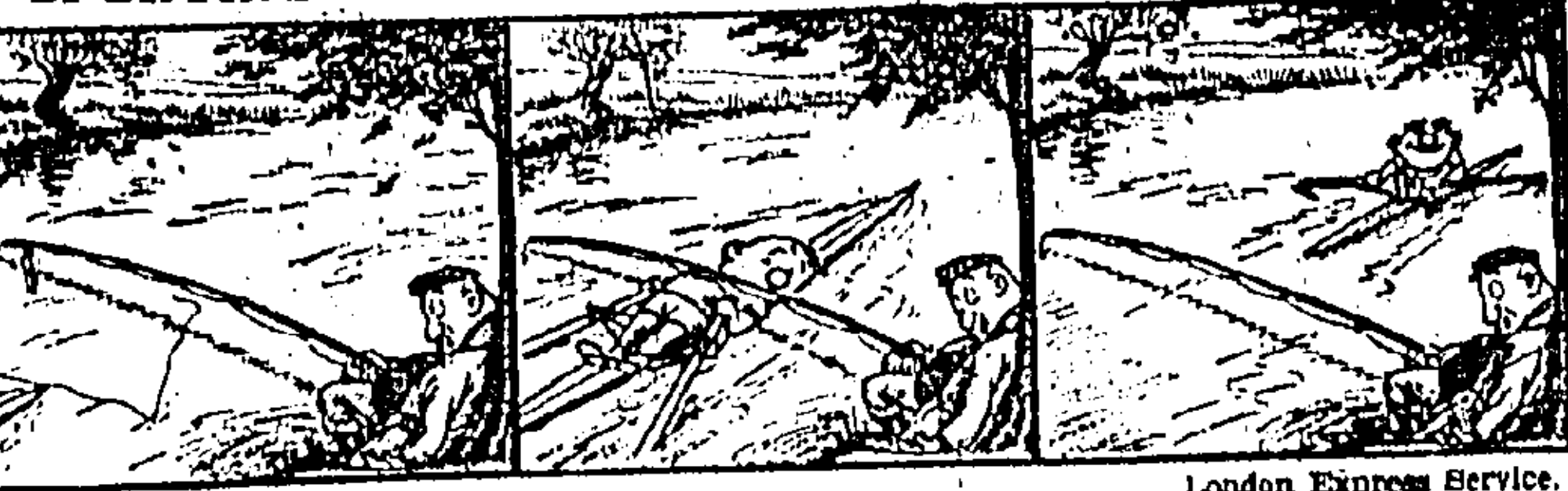
He won the Isle of Man 500cc and added the Dutch 500cc before he met Geoff Duke for the first time in world championship racing at the Belgian Grand Prix. Duke had engine trouble and Surtees was home as champion.

After a dismal 1957 which left him without a win of any note, Surtees came back in 1958 with championship wins in Belgium, Holland, Germany and Ireland. His triple senior crown was confirmed the following year, and his double hat-trick twelve months later, but at the end of the 1960 season he quit motorcycling for motor racing.

In April, 1961, he was a top-flight driver with a win over Billie Moss, and a lap record to his credit. Today, Surtees is on the threshold of a new career that promises to make him as feared on four wheels as he was on two.

SPORTING GAM

By REG. WOOLTON



London Express Service.

Army 'A' to clash with
Recreio 'A' in weekend's
feature hockey match

By NUMPERE

There is one alteration to the First Division hockey fixture list for this weekend. The match between Army 'A' and IRC 'A' scheduled for Sunday has been postponed and instead Army 'A' will play Recreio 'A' at Recreio.

Recreio are current leaders in the league table with nine points from six matches. IRC 'A' are in second place, two points behind, but with a game in hand and Army 'A' with six points, take third place over Macaness 'A' on goal average, but Army 'A' have only played three times to Macaness' five.

The match at Recreio should produce some excellent hockey. Army 'A' have won all their matches so far but their previous opponents, RAF, Sons and Nav Bharat 'A' have all made poor starts to the season and this will be the first time that they will be fully extended. It should prove very close but I think Recreio will just make it.

Farwell

Incidentally, three stalwarts of Army hockey during the past seasons, Bowell, Harris and Fearn are leaving the Colony this week and the hockey scene will be a little less colourful for their leaving. Farwell was selected for the Interport match in Macao last season but had to withdraw through illness. Harris played in the Hongkong 'B' XI. Fearn, whose big boots did such valiant service in Army's goal, must also have been on the short list for selection. I am sure that all followers of hockey will wish them well in the future.

To return to this week's fixtures, Macaness 'A' are at home to KCC 'A' who were the only team to beat them in the league last season. KCC also knocked Macaness out of the Holland Cup last season but this year they have only four points from five matches and Macaness must be favoured to win this one.

The remaining First Division fixture features RAF at home to Prisons. Both these teams were promoted from the Second Division and both have only three points from six matches to date. RAF may get two more this week.

First defeat

In the Second Division Macaness 'B' head the table having dropped only one point in five matches, followed by HKFC with maximum points from four matches. These two teams meet on Sunday and I fancy HKFC will suffer their first defeat.

Army 'C' and Recreio 'B' both have seven points from five matches with Army 'C' taking third place in the league table on goal average. Recreio 'B' should collect two more points this week from Dutch HC but Army 'C' will find it more difficult against Army 'B'.

There are only three fixtures in the Third Division. IRC 'B' versus Macaness 'D' match having been postponed. Lions, Macaness 'C' and HK University are joined to win against Nav Bharat 'C', KCC 'C', and Combined Schools respectively.

LEAGUE TABLES

Following are the League tables after last weekend's matches:

Men's First Division				
Team	P	W	D	L
Recreio 'A'	6	4	1	1
IRC 'A'	6	3	2	1
Army 'A'	6	3	2	1
Nav Bharat 'A'	6	2	2	2
Prisons	6	1	1	4

Men's Second Division				
Team	P	W	D	L
Macaness 'B'	4	4	0	0
HKFC	4	4	0	0

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Men's First Division				
Team	P	W	D	L
RAF	1	1	2	1
Macaness 'A'	1	1	2	1
King's Park	1	1	2	1
Nav Bharat 'A'	1	1	2	1
Nav Bharat 'B'	1	1	2	1

Men's Third Division				
Team	P	W	D	L
Lions	1	1	2	1
Macaness 'C'	1	1	2	1
HK University	1	1	2	1
Recreio 'C'	1	1	2	1
Nav Bharat 'C'	1	1	2	1

Ladies' Division				
Team	P	W	D	L
KCC	5	5	0	0
Recreio 'A'	4	4	0	0
Recreio 'B'	4	4	0	0
Recreio 'C'	4	4	0	0
Recreio 'D'	4	4	0	0

Ladies' League				
Team	P	W	D	L
DGS vs Gremlins 'A'	4	4	0	0
Recreio 4 pm	4	4	0	0
Fellows, S. Howan	4	4	0	0

KCC vs KGV 'B' at King's Park 2.30 pm				
Team	P	W	D	L
Canwell, A. Van der Sluis	4	4	0	0

Recreio vs St. Georges at Recreio 2.30 pm				
Team	P	W	D	L
Barrow L. Gutierrez	4	4	0	0

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Recreio vs KCC 'D' at King's Park 11.30 am				
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Surprising first-innings declaration by MCC captain Ted Dexter

Ahmedabad, Nov. 3.

Ted Dexter surprised a capacity 28,000 crowd here today on the first day of the MCC match with West Zone by declaring at the useful but not very big total of 272 for seven, 25 minutes before the close.

Cricket followers here are used to seeing the side batting first continue their innings until the close or at least not declaring until a large score has been compiled.

But Dexter, playing the match in the way common to a three-day game in England, chose to adopt a policy of seeking a win at all costs.

He was partially successful in his object as West Zone lost one wicket for 25 runs before the close on a pitch which throughout proved the liveliest the tourists have met so far. The fast bowlers were able to move the ball off the ground and the spinners obtained plenty of turn.

Undistinguished

The MCC batting was mostly undistinguished apart from Pullar's 104, a hard driven 43 from Dexter, and a useful seventh wicket stand of 78 between Barry Knight and Dave Allen.

Several of MCC's batsmen, as in earlier matches, once again showed a weakness against left spin. This time it was Chinn.

drunkard Borde—probably India's second leg-spinner—in the Test side—who tied up the batsmen. A heavy cold, pulled a muscle during the afternoon and went off before tea. This was a heavy blow to Nari Contractor, the West Zone and newly appointed Indian Test captain, whose team in this game included only four bowlers.

As a result both Ranjane and Vin, the new ball bowlers, had to get through plenty of work. Test man Ranjane maintained a lively pace to finish with three for 61.

Scoreboard

MCC—FIRST INNINGS				
P. E. Richardson	b. Ranjane	19		
G. Pullar	c. Contractor b. Suri	104		
P. H. Paritt	c. Indrajit Singh	1		
M. J. K. Smith	c. Indrajit	1		
M. J. K. Smith	c. Indrajit	1		
P. H. Dexter	b. b. Borde	43		
P. H. Murray	b. b. Borde	12		
D. K. Gaekwad	not out	12		

D. A. Allen	not out	36		
G. A. R. Lock	not out	12		
Extras		12		
Total (for 7 wks)		272		

BOWLING				
Ranjane	O	M	R	W
Vin	22.4	3	58	1
Suri	15	3	52	1
Borde	15	3	50	2
Indrajit	4	0	10	0

West Zone—First Innings				
N. J. Contractor	not out	11		
Shet Mohammed	b. b. Smith	12		
D. K. Gaekwad	not out	25		
Total (for 1 wk)		25		

—Reuter.

Palmer shoots into Yomiuri Golf lead

Tokyo, Nov. 3.

Arnold Palmer of the United States shot into the second round lead of the Yomiuri International Golf Tournament by firing a par 72 over the newly completed 6,694-yard Yomiuri Golf Course near here today.

Palmer, winner of the 1961 British Open Golf Tournament, was one stroke better than Haruyoshi Kobari, whom he tied with for second place in the opening round yesterday with a score of 73. The American, playing his first golf in Japan, posted a two-day total of 145.

Player gains ground

South Africa's Gary Player, who was tied for tenth place with Japan's professional golfer Torakichi "Pete" Nakamura and three other Japanese, gained ground in his bid for the US\$2,700 prize by ridding a par 72 score for a two-day total of 147, two strokes behind Palmer. Veteran golfer Tsuruzo Mita, who led the field of 39, top

ranking Japanese linkmen and two foreign entrants by one stroke in the first round yesterday dropped to 13th place with four others, including Nakamura, with six over par for a two-day total of 152. Mita scored par 72 yesterday.

Palmer carded two under par in the front nine and two over par on the back nine. Player toured the course with a 35-37.

Palmer played in a threesome with Tsuruzo Mita and Sukemasa Shimamura. Player was grouped with Pete Nakamura and Koshio Kurihara.

The third round will be played tomorrow and the final 19 holes on Sunday at the same course.—AP.

Yacht Racing Union discusses Olympic regatta

London, Nov. 3.

The International Yacht Racing Union today threw out without a vote a suggestion by France to get the dates of the sailing events in the 1964 Olympics changed.

Joan Patel, the French delegate, told a meeting of the Union that many good yachtsmen would be unable to compete in Tokyo in October, 1964, because it was an unfavorable time of the year.

He suggested the Olympic Committee might be asked to change the date to allow young people and students to participate.

Peter Scott of Britain, the chairman, said the date was convenient to some and inconvenient to others, but since many of the arrangements had already been made it would be difficult to get it changed.

REPORTS QUASHED

Japan's delegate, F. Yamamoto, told the meeting the regatta would be held at Enoshima Harbour, about 30 miles south of Tokyo.

Yamamoto quashed European reports that Japan will not provide boats in the international Finn class. He said Japan, as host country, will provide all the boats needed.

Delegates raised the question of an official language for the Tokyo Olympics.

Yamamoto said English is popular in Japan, and Scott suggested that each national team in the Games should include in its party someone who could interpret into English.—AP.

Sheffield Shield Cricket opens

Adelaide, Nov. 3.

A dashing 153 by Test discard Les Favell for South Australia against Western Australia was the highlight here today when the season's first Sheffield Shield match began.

Favell, who narrowly missed selection for the tour of England earlier this year, hit 20 fours in a stay of three hours 40 minutes.

South Australia had reached 265 for six at the close. West Indies Test star Garfield Sobers making his debut for the State, struggling for 86 minutes over 32 runs.—China Mail Special.

Upset win by PI boxer over European champion

Manila, Nov. 3.

Top-ranked Philippine featherweight Jet Bally upset European featherweight champion Gracieux Lamperti of France in a 10-round non-title fight here tonight.

The Associated Press scored the fight 48-44 for Bally.—AP.

Bally weighed 129½ pounds, Lamperti 131½.

With a last round six-count knockdown in his credit the Filipino won the verdict of the referee and two judges.

In the only knockdown during the fight, left-handed Bally dropped Lamperti with a solid left hook to the jaw. The Frenchman wobbled up at a count of six and as Bally rallied for a kill the bell saved Lamperti from a probable knockout.

Lamperti bled from a right-eye cut from the second round and appeared confused by Bally's left-handed stance.

The Frenchman's big rounds were the fourth, fifth and sixth when he weakened the Filipino fighter with relentless body attacks. It was a surprise win for Bally, who was a 2-1 underdog at the start of the bout.

Referee Johnny Laconico scored the fight 46-45, judge Philip Bradford 48-45 and judge Sofronio Tagaro 47-43 all for Bally.

NBA will not recognise Manila title fight

Providence, Nov. 3.

Tony Petronella, chairman of the National Association of Boxing Committees, said today the NBA will insist that Flash Elorde of the Philippines make his next title defence against the No. 1 challenger, Solomon Boysaw, of Cleveland, Ohio.

The NBA will not recognise a proposed Elorde-Sergio Caprari bout as for the world's junior lightweight championship. Caprari the No. 2 challenger, is from Italy.—AP.

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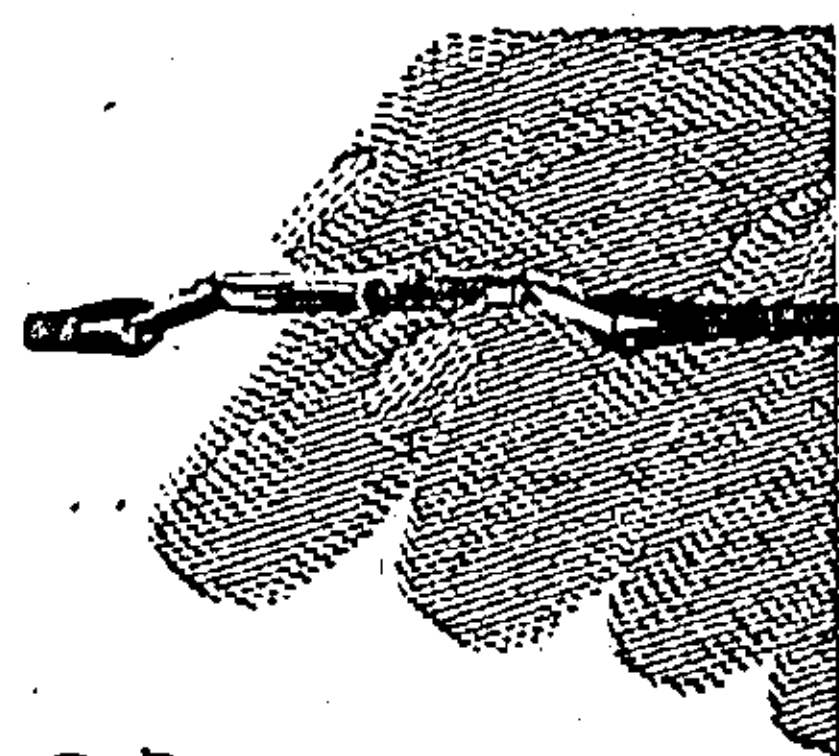
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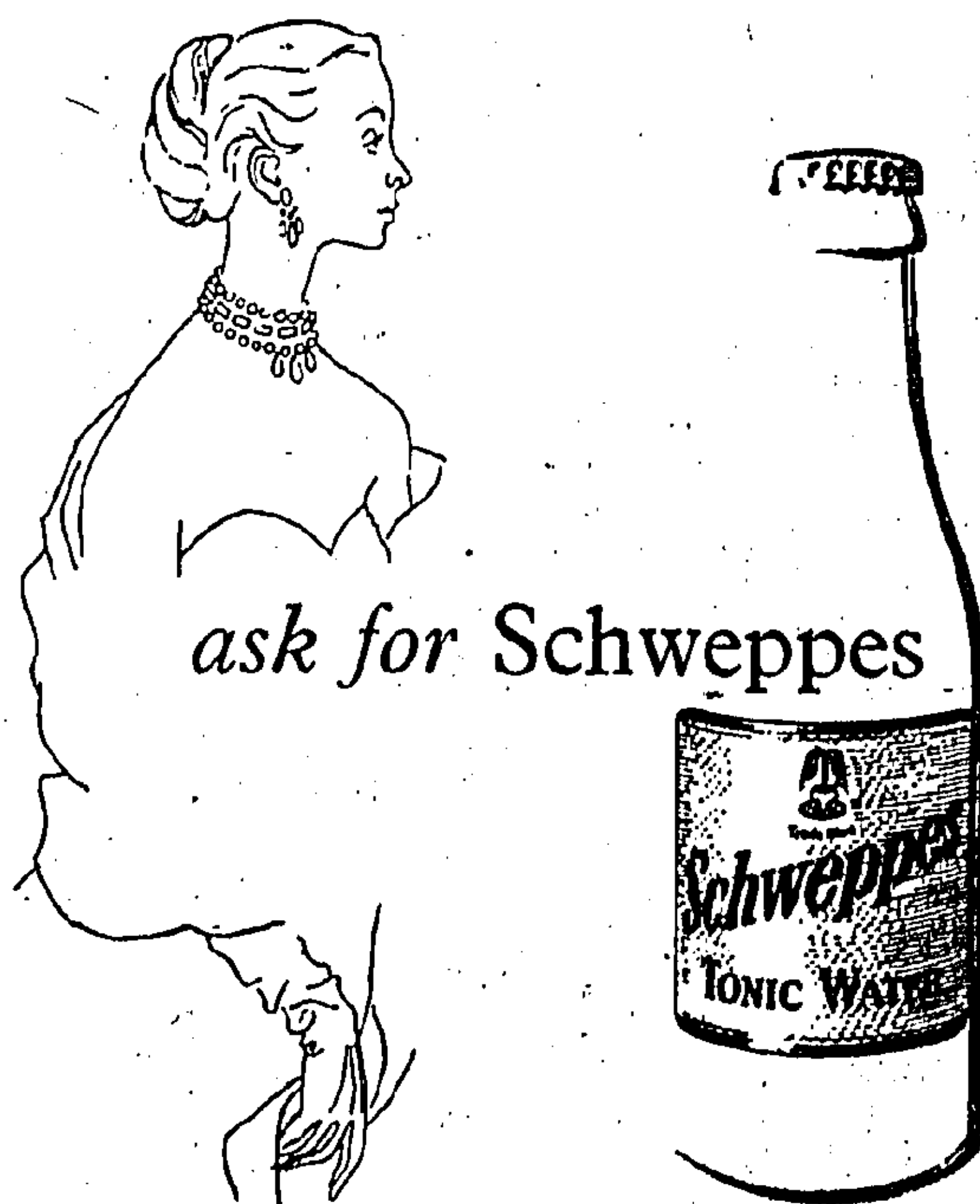
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